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INTRODUCTION

The Federal-State Program of Vocational Rehabilitation has contributed toward the attainment of more productive and meaningful lives for more than three million disabled persons who have been rehabilitated since its inception in 1920. During its span of more than 50 years, the Program has changed substantially in its philosophy, focus, scope, and operation. These changes have enabled the Program to provide better and more comprehensive vocational rehabilitation services to increased numbers of persons who are victims of physical or mental disabilities which constitute a barrier to employment. The growth of the Program has been particularly pronounced in recent years. For instance, nearly forty percent of the overall three million rehabilitations effected by the Program have been accomplished during the five years covered by the current report, Fiscal Years 1967 through 1971. During this five-year period the annual number of rehabilitations increased by over 100,000 from 173,594 to 291,272. It is also interesting to note that the 291,272 clients rehabilitated in 1971 represented about 10 percent of the rehabilitations since 1920.

This publication furnishes answers to questions relating to the personal and program-associated characteristics of persons rehabilitated under the Program. National information is shown for Fiscal Year 1971 and, wherever possible, for the preceding four years. Information for individual States and agencies is shown for Fiscal Year 1971. Vocational rehabilitation agencies in 50 States, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, and Guam furnished the data which were collected on the basic report form, Case Service Report, Form SRS-RSA-300. Since three different versions of the form were used during the five-year period, the data, in some instances, either are not entirely comparable from year to year or else are not available for each year.

Fiscal Year 1971 National information was obtained from a computer tabulation of 263,946 rehabilitated clients -- 90.6 percent of the total of 291,272 clients. This unusually low level of coverage resulted from numerous problems associated with processing and non-receipt of information from State agencies. Coverage for Fiscal Years 1967 to 1970, inclusive, ranged from 97 to 99 percent of all rehabilitations. Although the absolute numbers are understated to a greater degree for Fiscal Year 1971 than for prior years, the percentages are reasonably reliable and should prove useful for the purpose of delineating trends.

The State Data Book, which customarily is issued following this publication, will not be published for Fiscal Year 1971. Instead, many of the characteristics items from the State Data Book are included in expanded State tables beginning on page 36. In response to various requests, the information shown for States is also shown for agencies for the blind. In addition the State ranking table from the State Data Book is included beginning on page 32.

All references to given years relate to fiscal years ending June 30.

Additional copies of this report, as well as more detailed information on the characteristics of rehabilitated clients, may be obtained upon request from the Division of Monitoring and Program Analysis, Statistical Analysis and Systems Branch, Rehabilitation Services Administration, Washington, D. C. 20201.

Table 1.--Number of persons rehabilitated by State vocational rehabilitation agencies, Fiscal Years 1921-1971

Fiscal year	Number	Fiscal year	Number
1971	291,272	1945	41,925
1970	266,975	1944	43,997
1969	241,390	1943	42,618
1968	207,918	1942	21,757
1967	173,594	1941	14,579
1966	154,279	1940	11,890
1965	134,859	1939	10,747
1964	119,708	1938	9,844
1963	110,136	1937	11,091
1962	102,377	1936	10,338
1961	92,501	1935	9,422
1960	88,275	1934	8,062
1959	80,739	1933	5,613
1958	74,317	1932	5,592
1957	70,940	1931	5,184
1956	65,640	1930	4,605
1955	57,981	1929	4,645
1954	55,825	1928	5,012
1953	61,308	1927	5,092
1952	63,632	1926	5,604
1951	66,193	1925	5,825
1950	59,597	1924	5,654
1949	58,020	1923	4,530
1948	53,131	1922	1,898
1947	43,880	1921	523
1946	36,106		

Figure A.--NUMBER OF PERSONS REHABILITATED BY STATE VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION AGENCIES, FISCAL YEARS 1921-1971

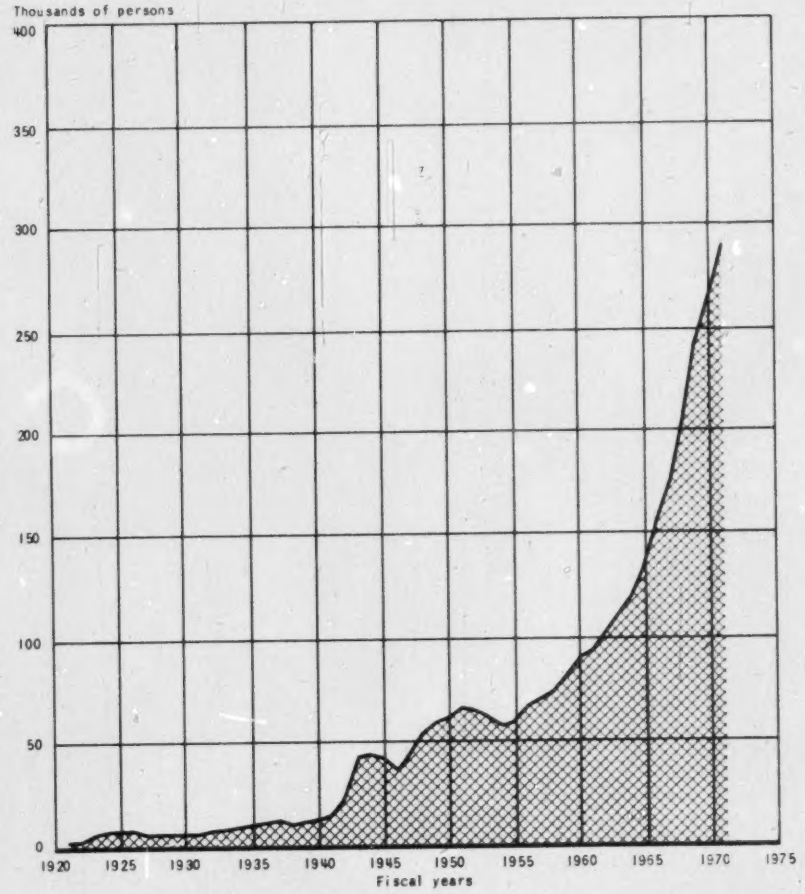


Table 2.--Number of persons rehabilitated by State vocational rehabilitation agencies, rates per 100,000 population[a/] and rankings by State, Fiscal Years 1967-1971

State	1971			1970			1969			1968			1967		
	Number	Rate	Rank	Number	Rate	Rank	Number	Rate	Rank	Number	Rate	Rank	Number	Rate	Rank
U.S. Total	291,272	141	--	266,975	130	--	241,390	119	--	207,918	104	--	173,594	87	--
Alabama	6,877	200	14	6,151	174	16	6,074	171	13	5,414	153	13	4,818	137	12
Alaska	389	129	31	367	130	27	249	91	38	154	57	48	127	47	47
Arizona	1,841	104	42	1,532	90	42	1,454	87	39	1,146	70	42	907	56	42
Arkansas	5,804	302	5	5,682	285	4	5,320	268	4	4,979	253	4	4,454	228	3
California	14,430	72	51	14,358	74	49	14,450	75	45	10,389	54	51	6,375	34	54
Colorado	2,967	134	28	2,906	138	24	2,898	142	18	2,527	128	17	2,143	108	18
Connecticut	2,425	80	47	2,623	87	43	2,398	81	42	2,060	70	41	1,637	57	39
Delaware	716	131	29	716	133	26	706	132	22	812	155	11	762	149	10
Dist. of Columbia	3,432	453	1	3,317	416	1	2,739	339	1	2,137	264	2	2,261	280	1
Florida	12,277	181	16	11,603	183	15	10,212	166	14	9,261	154	12	8,086	136	13
Georgia	11,512	251	8	11,142	240	7	10,212	224	6	9,001	200	6	8,751	196	5
Guam	135	155	21	91	91	41	99	99	33	70[b/]	74	37	37	47	46
Hawaii	746	97	43	635	80	45	644	83	41	565	76	35	482	67	33
Idaho	890	125	34	719	100	36	606	86	40	598	86	33	560	81	29
Illinois	14,001	126	33	12,075	109	32	13,410	122	25	11,563	106	24	9,712	91	25
Indiana	2,714	52	54	2,630	51	54	2,551	50	54	2,411	48	53	2,010	41	52
Iowa	3,979	141	25	4,125	148	21	3,920	141	19	3,139	114	23	2,298	84	26
Kansas	1,555	69	52	1,459	63	51	1,382	60	51	1,363	60	46	1,212	54	45
Kentucky	9832	305	4	8,721	270	5	7,668	238	5	6,184	194	7	4,810	151	9
Louisiana	5,431	149	24	5,152	138	25	3,406	91	37	3,221	88	32	2,944	82	28
Maine	846	85	45	687	70	50	693	71	46	537	55	50	434	44	49
Maryland	8,014	204	13	7,679	204	13	6,934	185	11	5,984	163	10	4,788	133	15
Massachusetts	4,475	79	49	4,198	77	46	3,807	70	47	3,425	63	43	2,281	42	50
Michigan	9,810	111	37	8,205	94	40	5,499	63	50	6,381	74	38	5,335	64	35
Minnesota	4,833	127	32	4,547	123	30	3,908	107	31	3,185	89	29	2,413	67	34
Mississippi	5,079	229	10	3,931	167	17	3,474	148	16	2,982	127	18	2,471	106	19
Missouri	7,057	151	23	6,561	141	23	5,770	125	24	5,364	117	22	4,439	98	21
Montana	1,069	154	22	893	129	28	780	113	29	699	100	26	644	92	24
Nebraska	1,559	105	41	1,410	97	39	1,395	97	34	1,408	98	27	1,160	80	30
Nevada	520	106	40	549	120	31	461	103	32	316	71	39	252	56	43
New Hampshire	588	80	48	439	61	52	420	60	52	324	47	54	282	41	51
New Jersey	8,744	122	35	7,786	109	33	8,050	113	28	6,765	97	28	4,059	59	37
New Mexico	1,099	108	38	797	80	44	660	66	48	617	62	45	561	55	44
New York	11,405	63	53	10,368	57	53	10,250	57	53	9,341	51	52	8,187	45	48
North Carolina	13,144	259	7	11,253	216	8	9,637	188	10	8,626	172	9	9,531	191	6
North Dakota	1,213	196	15	1,276	207	10	929	148	17	400	63	44	393	60	36
Ohio	8,038	75	50	7,989	74	48	6,869	65	49	5,943	57	47	3,976	39	53
Oklahoma	7,051	276	6	6,357	248	6	5,350	212	7	3,815	153	14	3,300	134	14
Oregon	1,700	81	46	1,999	98	38	1,862	93	36	1,413	71	40	1,113	57	40
Pennsylvania	20,064	170	17	19,019	161	18	16,544	141	20	14,954	129	16	13,112	113	17
Puerto Rico	2,892	107	39	2,868	104	35	2,575	95	35	2,390	89	30	2,215	83	27
Rhode Island	1,611	170	18	1,888	207	11	1,888	207	9	1,966	218	5	1,673	186	7
South Carolina	9,688	374	3	8,822	328	3	7,723	290	3	6,672	257	3	5,293	205	4
South Dakota	859	129	30	650	99	37	508	77	44	556	82	34	485	71	31
Tennessee	6,641	169	19	6,295	158	19	5,244	132	23	4,726	121	19	3,967	102	20
Texas	17,905	160	20	14,143	126	29	11,861	108	30	9,558	88	31	7,616	71	32
Utah	2,231	211	11	1,975	189	14	1,667	161	15	1,204	118	21	968	96	22
Vermont	523	118	36	477	109	34	494	116	26	313	75	36	232	57	38
Virginia	11,042	238	9	9,583	205	12	8,086	176	12	6,788	150	15	5,458	121	16
Virgin Islands	87	138	27	80	143	22	65	116	27	57	102	25	76	152	8
Washington	3,242	95	44	2,601	76	47	2,557	78	43	1,762	57	49	1,689	57	41
West Virginia	6,539	375	2	6,179	340	2	5,814	323	2	4,791	266	1	4,319	241	2
Wisconsin	9,284	210	12	8,978	212	9	8,801	209	8	7,289	174	8	6,177	148	11
Wyoming	467	141	26	489	153	20	417	132	21	371	118	20	309	94	23

a/ Estimate of total population as of April 1. Bureau of the Census: Series P-25, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, D.C.
b/ Partially estimated.

EXPLANATION OF TERMS

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

Age at referral . . .
The mean age of clients rehabilitated in 1971 was 33 years -- one year younger than clients rehabilitated during the four preceding years. The representation of persons under 35 years of age among all rehabilitated clients increased from 54 percent in 1967 and 1968 to 57 percent in 1971. (Table 3, Fig. B)

Individual States displayed a considerable amount of variation in the proportion of younger clients among all rehabilitated clients. The percentage of clients less than 20 years of age ranged from a low of 8 percent in Oregon to a high of 48 percent in Indiana. The mean age was less than 30 years in 7 States. (Table 20C)

Sex . . .
In recent years there has been virtually no change in the proportion of females among all rehabilitated clients. The percentage of females stayed around the 44 percent mark from 1968 to 1971. (Table 3)

Race . . .
Although white clients outnumbered clients of minority races 4 to 1 during the five-year period, there have been some slight gains in the proportion of minority group clients. (Table 3)

Spanish surname . . .
Roughly five percent of all clients rehabilitated in 1971 had Spanish surnames. (Table 3)

Highest grade of school completed . . .
Over half of the clients rehabilitated during 1971 and the preceding years had dropped out of school before finishing high school. Since 1967, the percentage of clients with some education above the high school level rose from 7 percent to 9 percent in 1971. (Table 3, Fig. C)

The mean number of grades completed was lower than the National average of 9.9 grades in 15 States.

Number of dependents . . .
Fiscal Year 1971 marked the second consecutive year in which the proportion of clients without dependents exceeded 60 percent. Clients with three or more dependents dipped from 21 percent in 1967 to 18 percent in 1971. Consequently, the average number of dependents per client with dependents decreased from 3.0 to 2.8 during the five-year period. (Table 4)

FIGURE B. AGE AT REFERRAL OF PERSONS REHABILITATED BY STATE VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION AGENCIES IN FISCAL YEAR 1971

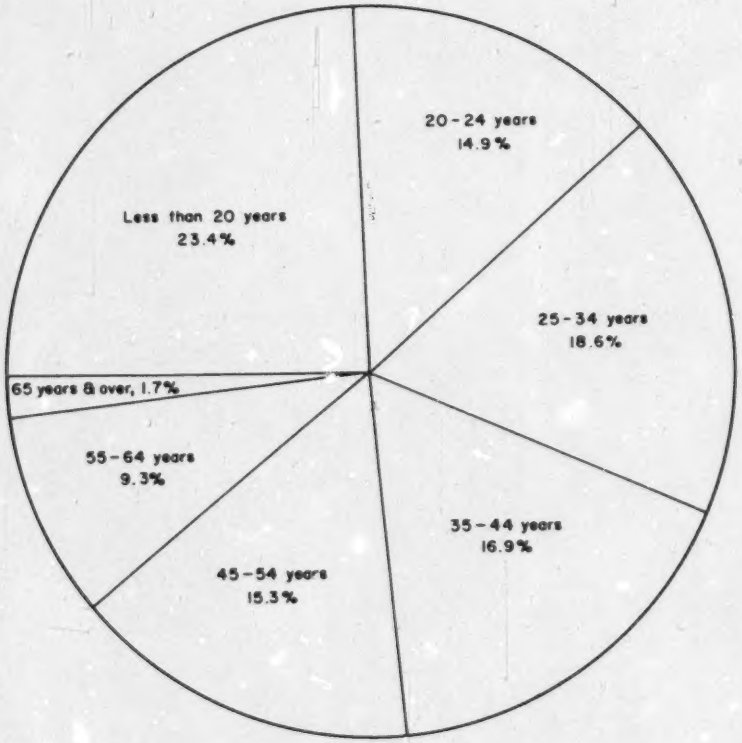
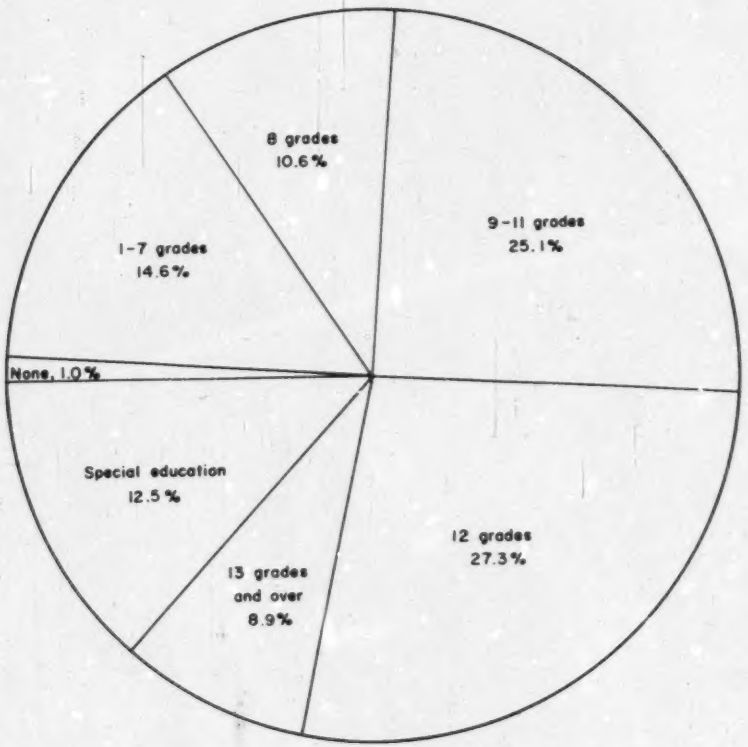


FIGURE C HIGHEST GRADE OF SCHOOL COMPLETED BY PERSONS REHABILITATED BY STATE VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION AGENCIES IN FISCAL YEAR 1971



By State, the proportions of clients with dependents were quite disparate accounting for slightly more than half (52 percent) of the rehabilitated clients in California as contrasted to only 17 percent of the clients in Hawaii. (Table 20C)

Number in family . . .
The average number of persons in the families of rehabilitated clients was 3.6 for 1970 and 1971. Four out of every five clients were members of families of 2 or more persons. Nearly one-third were from families consisting of five or more persons. (Table 4)

Puerto Rico with a mean family size of nearly 5 (4.8) persons was the State registering the largest average family size. (Table 20D)

Monthly family income . . .
The family income for fully 35 percent of the clients rehabilitated during 1970 and 1971 amounted to less than $150 per month at the time they entered the vocational rehabilitation process. Only 10 percent of the clients rehabilitated during 1971 reported monthly family income in excess of $600. The median monthly family income at referral of all rehabilitated clients amounted to $231. (Table 4, Fig. D)

Nationally, monthly family income of less than $300 was reported by 62 percent of the clients. States with the highest proportions of such low family income clients in 1971 were Puerto Rico, Alabama, and the District of Columbia where the percentages registered more than 80 percent. On the other hand, clients with monthly family incomes less than $300 accounted for only 27 percent of the clients in Indiana. (Table 20C)

Marital status . . .
Since 1967, the relative number of married clients rehabilitated has decreased while the number divorced or separated has increased. (Table 4)

Major disabling condition . . .

The mental illness category displayed the most significant relative growth during the five-year period. The proportion of mentally or emotionally ill clients rose by two-thirds, from 16 percent in 1967 to 27 percent in 1971. The two sub-categories mainly responsible for this growth were other character, personality and behavior disorders and alcoholism.

In 1967, the largest single disability category was orthopedic impairments which accounted for 21 percent of all rehabilitated clients. Since 1967 the rapid growth of the mental illness category has cut into the representation of the orthopedically impaired and has reduced their proportion of the total to 17 percent in 1971. Some other disability categories which have declined proportionately in recent years are blindness, deafness, amputations, heart disease, tuberculosis, and digestive system disorders. (Table 5, Fig. E)

FIGURE D. MONTHLY FAMILY INCOME
OF PERSONS REHABILITATED
BY STATE VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION AGENCIES
IN FISCAL YEAR 1971

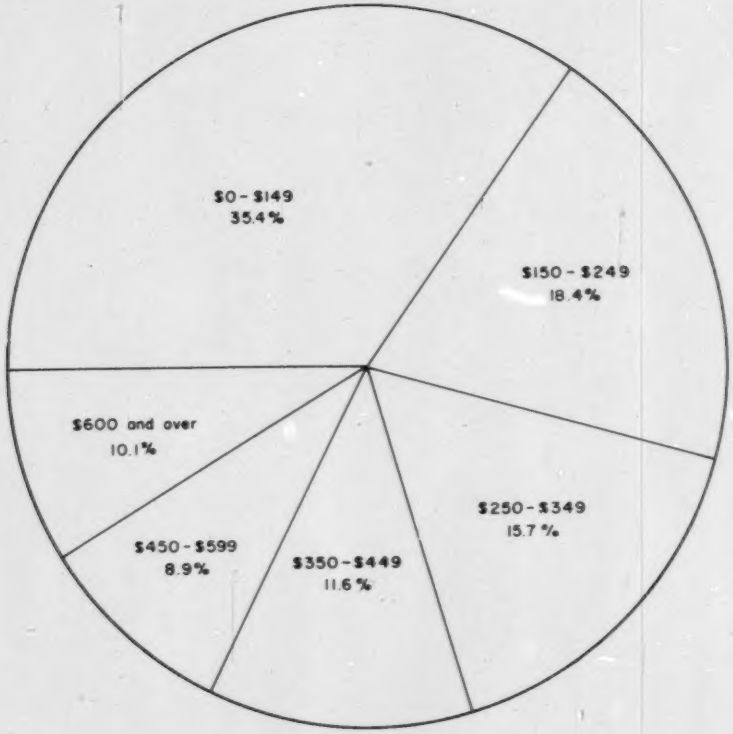
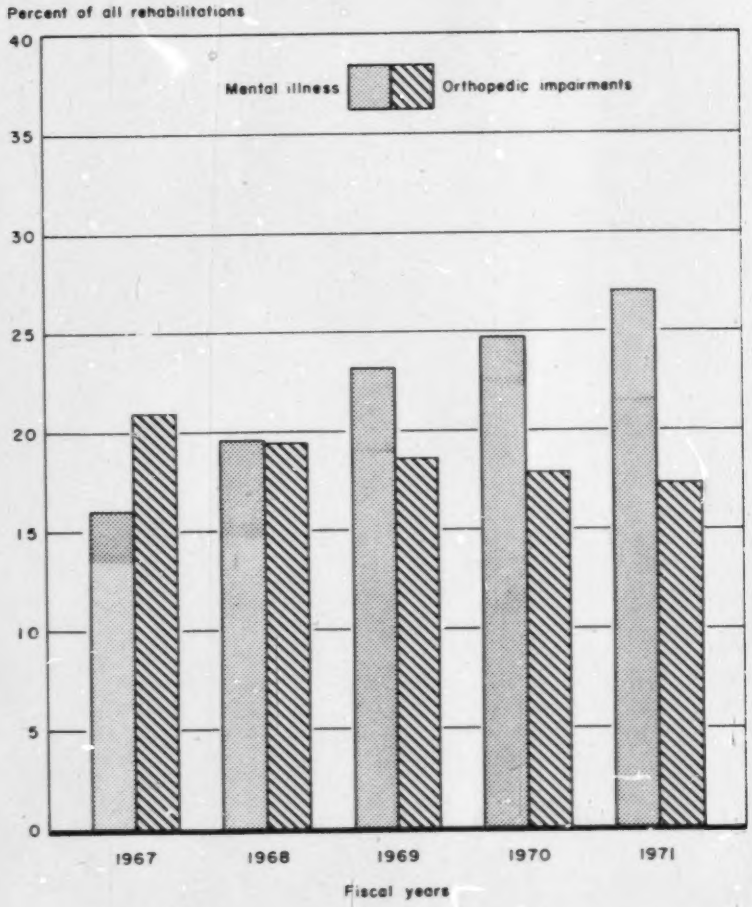


FIGURE E. PERSONS DISABLED
BY MENTAL ILLNESS AND ORTHOPEDIC IMPAIRMENTS
AS A PERCENT OF ALL PERSONS REHABILITATED
BY STATE VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION AGENCIES
IN FISCAL YEARS 1967 - 1971



In three jurisdictions -- the District of Columbia, North Dakota, and Utah -- mentally ill clients constituted more than half of the total group of rehabilitated clients as compared to 27 percent nationally. At the other end of the scale, less than 10 percent of the rehabilitated clients in Idaho, Indiana, and Mississippi were in the mentally ill category.

Digestive system disorders disabled roughly one-fourth of the clients rehabilitated in Illinois, Oklahoma, and West Virginia, as opposed to less than 10 percent nationally. (Tables 20 A and B)

Cost of case services by disability . . .
Inflationary trends in the economy were reflected in the cost of case services provided to disabled clients by State agencies. From 1967 to 1971, the average cost of such services rose from $554 to $742 -- an increase of 34 percent. In 1971 there were seven disabling conditions associated with average costs in excess of $1,000 whereas in 1967 the highest average cost was $947 for blind clients. The seven high-cost disabilities in 1971 were 1) blindness; 2) orthopedic impairments involving three or more limbs or body; 3) orthopedic impairments involving one upper and one lower extremity; 4) absence or amputation of both upper extremities; 5) absence or amputation of at least one upper and one lower extremity; 6) mental retardation, severe; and 7) heart disease. The lowest average expenditure ($377) was for conditions of the teeth and supporting structures. (Table 6)

Primary cause of disabilities . . .
Visual and hearing defects were generally caused by disease, while amputations and orthopedic impairments were more likely to be caused by accidents and injuries. (Table 7)

Public assistance . . .
One of every seven persons rehabilitated during 1971 was a public assistance recipient at some time during the rehabilitation process.

The proportion of clients receiving public assistance payments at referral displayed some slippage from 1967-1969, but there was a slight upturn in 1970. In 1971 this upward trend continued and clients receiving public assistance at referral climbed back to the 1967 level, accounting for 12 percent of all rehabilitated clients.

In recent years there has been a tendency for increased numbers of clients to remain on public assistance at the time of case closure. For example, in 1967 the public assistance recipients at closure were 53 percent fewer than at referral. In 1971 the proportionate decrease amounted to only 40 percent. The same trend was apparent in terms of monthly public assistance payments. In 1967 there was a decrease of 60 percent in these payments while the 1971 decrease was only 42 percent.

FIGURE F. PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS AS A PERCENT OF ALL PERSONS REHABILITATED BY STATE VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION AGENCIES IN FISCAL YEARS 1967 - 1971

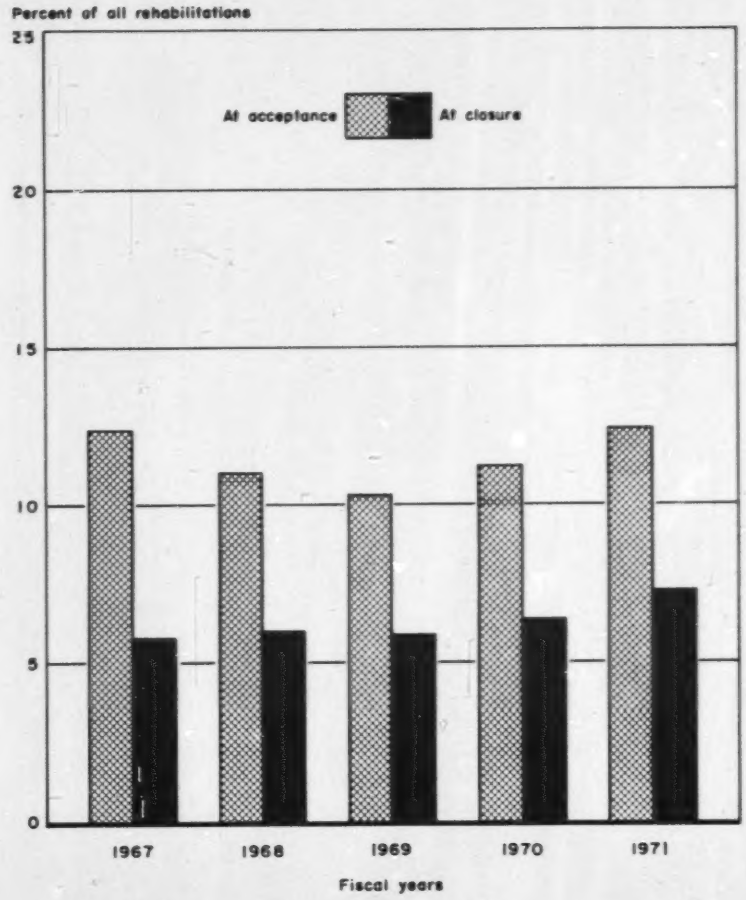
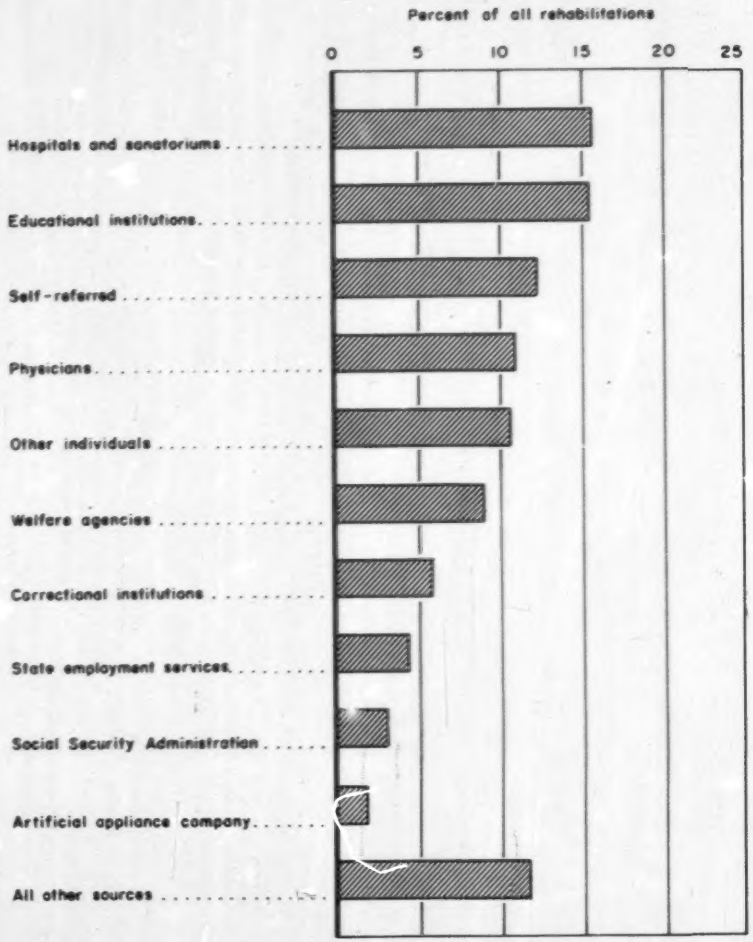


FIGURE G. SOURCE OF REFERRAL OF PERSONS REHABILITATED BY STATE VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION AGENCIES IN FISCAL YEAR 1971



The savings in monthly public assistance payments for clients rehabilitated in 1971 amounted to $1.8 million or $22 million annually.

Nearly one-third of the public assistance clients rehabilitated in 1971 had been receiving payments less than six months at the time they entered the vocational rehabilitation process. One of every six (17 percent) had been recipients for more than 5 years. (Table 8, Fig. F)

In 1971, the representation of clients on public assistance rolls at the time of referral ranged, by State, from 27 percent of all rehabilitated clients in Washington down to 4 percent in South Carolina. Clients receiving public assistance at referral accounted for at least one-fifth of all rehabilitated clients in 8 States. (Table 20E)

Source of referral . . .
Roughly one-third of all clients rehabilitated during the five-year period had been referred by individuals (including physicians) or had sought vocational rehabilitation services on their own. The number of rehabilitated clients referred by correctional institutions showed a marked increase over the five years. The percentage of such referrals rose from one percent in 1967 to six percent in 1971. (Table 9, Fig. G)

Previous rehabilitation experience . . .
Less than 10 percent of the clients rehabilitated during 1970 and 1971 had been closed from the active rehabilitation process within the three years prior to their latest referral. (Table 10)

Primary source of support . . .
At the time of their referral, rehabilitated clients were most likely to have been supported by families and friends. Roughly one of every five clients relied chiefly on their own earnings for support. This pattern was constant throughout the five years. Since 1967, there has been steady growth in the number of clients confined to and supported by public institutions. The proportion of clients with public assistance as their main source of support declined from 1967 to 1970, but showed a slight increase in 1971. (Table 11)

It is interesting to note that in six States -- the District of Columbia, Maryland, Nebraska, New Hampshire, South Dakota, and Wyoming -- over 20 percent of the clients rehabilitated in 1971 were primarily supported by public institutions. Nationally, such clients comprised 10 percent of all rehabilitations. (Table 20F)

Social Security Disability Insurance Status . . .
Since 1967, 10-11 percent of all rehabilitated clients were applicants for SSDI benefits at the time of their case closure. Typically, the majority of these applicants had been allowed benefits. (Table 12)

Proportions of recipients of SSDI benefits ranged from three percent of all rehabilitations in Puerto Rico and Virginia to 15 percent in Hawaii. (Table 20F)

Work status . . .
Expectedly, in each of the five years the number of wage earners increased dramatically from the time of referral to the time of case closure. As concerns 1971 rehabilitations, wage earners accounted for slightly less than one-fifth of all rehabilitated clients, at referral, but they constituted over three-fourths of the group at termination of the vocational rehabilitation process. In 1971, homemakers at closure reached their highest level of representation for the five-year period (16 percent). (Table 13)

Nationally, in 1971, the percentage of competitive labor market workers increased 56 percentage points from 19 percent at referral to 75 percent at closure. In four States -- Arizona, Colorado, the District of Columbia, and Oregon -- the corresponding increase was between 70 and 80 percentage points. (Table 20D)

Type of occupation at closure . . .
In 1971, as in the previous four years, roughly three out of every ten rehabilitated clients were placed into various levels of industrial occupations. The service category was the second largest grouping of clients (22 percent in 1971), but there has been a slight but steady relative decrease in such placements since 1968. Conversely, the relative number of clients placed into professional, managerial and technical occupations increased from 9 percent in 1967 to 11 percent in 1971. (Table 14, Fig. H)

In Arizona, Idaho, Kansas and South Dakota the rate of rehabilitation into professional occupations was in excess of 20 percent -- well above the national rate of 11 percent.

Homemakers accounted for at least one-fourth of the rehabilitated clients in Mississippi, Oklahoma, Rhode Island and West Virginia. (Table 20G)

FIGURE H. TYPE OF OCCUPATION AT CLOSURE FOR PERSONS REHABILITATED BY STATE VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION AGENCIES IN FISCAL YEAR 1971

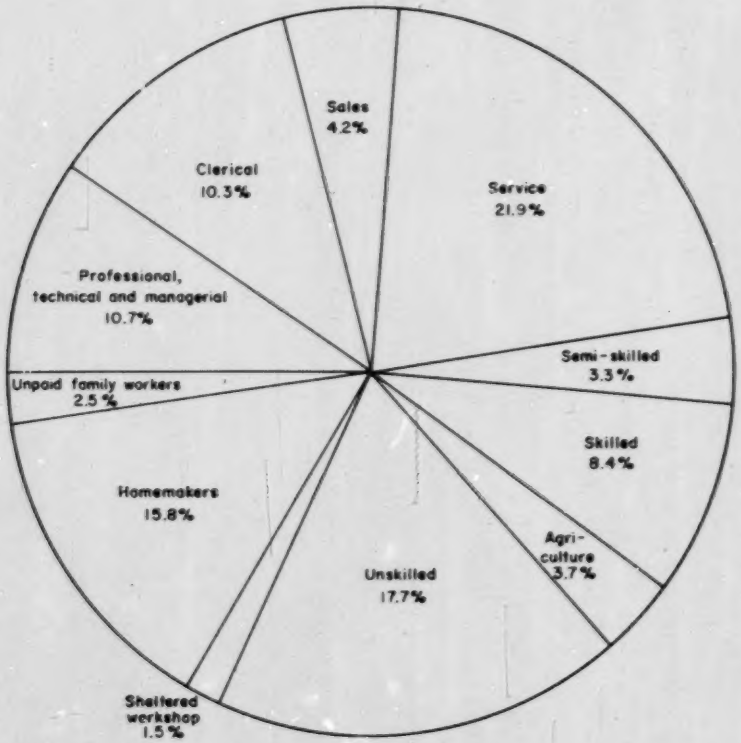
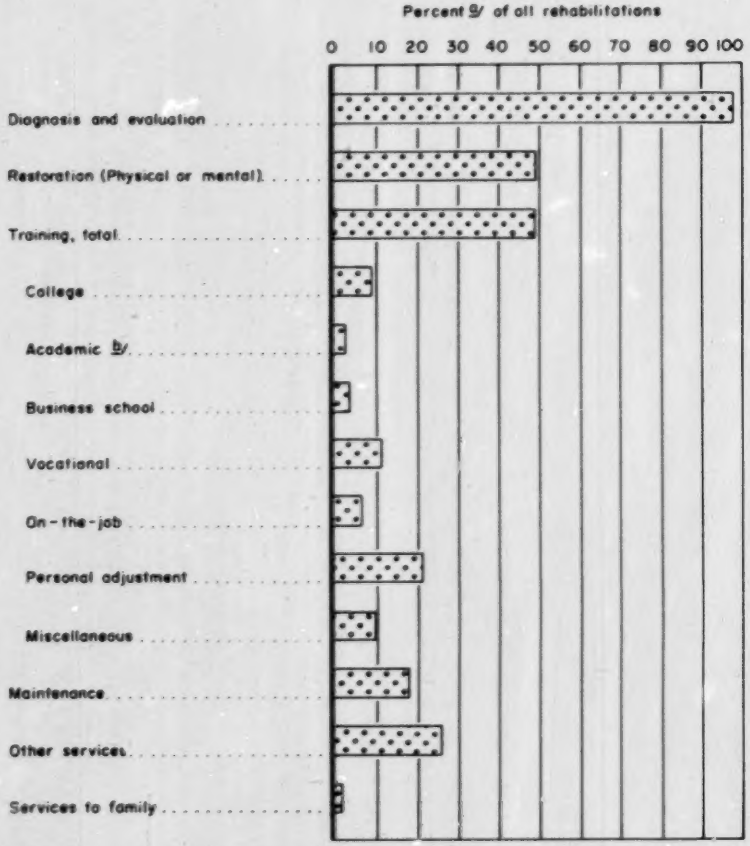


FIGURE I. TYPES OF SERVICES PROVIDED BY STATE VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION AGENCIES TO PERSONS REHABILITATED IN FISCAL YEAR 1971



a/ Total of percentages exceeds 100% because some persons received more than one type of service.

b/ Elementary or high school.

Weekly earnings . . .
The level of weekly earnings of all clients rehabilitated in 1971 (including those with no earnings) increased, on the average by $50, rising from $14 at referral to $64 at the time of case closure. The relatively high number of clients without earnings at closure in 1971 (18 percent) reflects the aforementioned increase in the proportion of clients rehabilitated as homemakers. The increase in the number of professional placements accounted, at least partially, for the growth in the number of clients earning higher salaries. Clients earning more than $100 per week doubled proportionately from 1967 (11 percent) to 1971 (22 percent). It is interesting to note that at the time of referral only four percent of the 1971 clients earned weekly salaries in excess of $100. (Table 15)

Type and cost of case services . . .
Approximately one-half of the clients rehabilitated during 1970 and 1971 received physical and mental restoration services and one-half received training during the vocational rehabilitation process. The most common types of training were 1) personal and vocational adjustment; 2) vocational school; and 3) college or university. State agency expenditures for case services to clients rehabilitated during 1971 totaled $179 million, an average of $742 per client receiving services paid for by a State agency. (Tables 16 and 17, Fig. I)

The relative number of clients receiving specific types of case services varied widely among State agencies. Physical and mental restoration was provided to nearly 90 percent of the clients rehabilitated in 1971 in West Virginia as contrasted to only 14 percent of the clients in New York. In Utah 82 percent of the rehabilitated clients received training. This compares to 17 percent of the clients in Kentucky. The average cost of case services exceeded $1,000 in 7 States (Alabama, Alaska, Arizona, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New York and Wyoming). (Table 20G)

Length of time required for rehabilitation . . .
Since 1967, the average length of time required to complete the vocational rehabilitation process (from referral to closure) has increased from 17 months to 19 months in 1971. Clients rehabilitated in 1971 spent slightly over one-fifth (4 months) of the 19 months in pre-acceptance i.e. referral-applicant statuses and averaged 15 months while in the active statuses. Clients receiving training as part of their plan of services averaged 14 months in this particular phase of their rehabilitation. (Table 18)

Less than one year was required for the entire vocational rehabilitation process for clients rehabilitated in 1971 in the District of Columbia and Kentucky. This time was roughly tripled for clients in Puerto Rico where the average stay in the process was 34 months. (Table 20F)

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Table 3 .--Age, sex, race, surname, and highest grade of school completed of persons rehabilitated by State vocational rehabilitation agencies, Fiscal Years 1967-1971

Characteristic	Fiscal Year 1971		1970		1969		1968		1967	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total rehabilitations	291,272	--	266,975	--	241,390	--	207,918	--	173,594	--
Age at referral:										
Number reporting	263,509	100.0	257,364	100.0	235,668	100.0	204,463	100.0	167,361	100.0
Less than 18 years	34,348	13.0	34,662	13.5	29,554	12.5	23,721	11.6	18,453	11.0
18 through 19 years	27,396	10.4	28,217	11.0	25,348	10.8	22,182	10.8	19,158	11.4
20 through 24 years	39,233	14.9	36,652	14.2	33,125	14.1	27,505	13.5	22,937	13.7
25 through 34 years	48,886	18.6	46,610	18.1	42,784	18.2	36,529	17.9	29,643	17.7
35 through 44 years	44,402	16.9	43,485	16.9	41,677	17.7	37,463	18.3	31,434	18.8
45 through 54 years	40,194	15.3	39,847	15.5	37,321	15.8	33,596	16.4	27,158	16.2
55 through 64 years	24,561	9.3	23,646	9.2	21,851	9.3	19,722	9.7	15,408	9.2
65 years and over	4,489	1.7	4,245	1.6	4,008	1.7	3,745	1.8	3,170	1.9
Mean age	33 years		34 years		34 years		34 years		34 years	
Median age	30 years		31 years		32 years		33 years		33 years	
Sex:										
Number reporting	263,397	100.0	257,284	100.0	236,155	100.0	204,795	100.0	173,594	100.0
Male	145,556	55.3	142,962	55.6	132,911	56.3	114,509	55.9	99,566	57.4
Female	117,841	44.7	114,322	44.4	103,244	43.7	90,286	44.1	74,028	42.6
Race: a/										
Number reporting	262,103	100.0	255,077	100.0	209,839	100.0	179,176	100.0	146,759	100.0
White	203,994	77.8	200,252	78.5	164,124	78.2	141,457	78.9	115,971	79.0
Negro	53,897	20.6	51,313	20.1	43,211	20.6	35,684	19.9	29,049	19.8
Indian	1,484	0.6	1,292	0.5	979	0.5	860	0.5	716	0.5
Other	2,728	1.0	2,212	0.9	1,525	0.7	1,175	0.7	1,023	0.7
Surname:										
Number reporting	259,155	100.0	247,005	100.0						
Clients with Spanish surname	13,216	5.1	10,616	4.3	b/		b/		b/	
Clients without Spanish surname	245,939	94.9	236,389	95.7						
Highest grade of school completed: c/										
Number reporting	260,908	100.0	253,268	100.0	237,812	100.0	206,090	100.0	172,531	100.0
No grades completed	2,672	1.0	2,502	1.0	2,742	1.2	2,777	1.3	2,560	1.5
1 through 7 grades	38,111	14.6	37,413	14.8	40,401	17.0	37,575	18.2	34,874	20.2
8 grades	27,573	10.6	26,639	10.5	28,250	11.9	25,496	12.4	21,958	12.7
9 through 11 grades	65,471	25.1	63,180	24.9	61,984	26.1	52,672	25.6	42,565	24.7
12 grades	71,235	27.3	68,758	27.1	65,506	27.5	55,871	27.1	47,633	27.6
13 grades and over	23,126	8.9	21,180	8.4	17,949	7.5	15,102	7.3	11,514	6.7
Special education	32,720	12.5	33,596	13.3	20,980	8.8	16,597	8.1	11,427	6.6
Mean no. grades completed	9.9		9.9		--		--		--	
Median no. grades completed	11.0		11.1		10.8		10.6		10.5	

a/ Certain States with relatively small proportions of rehabilitated Negro clients did not report race prior to 1970. Therefore, the figures for 1970 and 1971 are not fully comparable to those for previous years.

b/ Not available.

c/ Special education for 1970 and 1971 includes all clients with mental retardation as a major or secondary disabling condition regardless of their type of schooling or "equivalency" grade. From 1967-1969, regular grades were recorded for some mentally retarded clients. Thus, the figures for 1970 and 1971 are not completely comparable to those for the preceding years.

Table 4.--Number of dependents, family size, monthly family income, and marital status of persons rehabilitated by State vocational rehabilitation agencies, Fiscal Years 1967-1971

Characteristic	Fiscal Year 1971		1970		1969		1968		1967	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total rehabilitations	291,272	--	266,975	--	241,390	--	207,918	--	173,594	--
The family unit at referral:										
Number of dependents:										
Number reporting	261,883	100.0	255,135	100.0	230,594	100.0	201,338	100.0	171,969	100.0
No dependents	159,501	60.9	154,068	60.4	134,983	58.5	118,029	58.6	101,854	59.2
1 dependent	34,557	13.2	33,518	13.1	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	11.9
2 dependents	21,493	8.2	20,782	8.1	19,674	8.5	16,947	8.4	14,106	8.2
3 dependents	17,309	6.6	16,855	6.6	16,235	7.0	14,134	7.0	11,964	7.0
4 dependents	11,618	4.4	11,875	4.7	11,557	5.0	10,205	5.1	8,765	5.1
5 dependents	7,584	2.9	7,617	3.0	7,677	3.3	6,811	3.4	6,055	3.5
6 or more dependents	9,821	3.8	10,420	4.1	10,773	4.7	9,987	5.0	8,741	5.1
Mean number of dependents a/	2.8		2.8		2.9		3.0		3.0	
Number in family:										
Number reporting	254,601	100.0	240,494	100.0						
1 person	50,859	20.0	47,239	19.6						
2 persons	43,865	17.2	41,257	17.2						
3 persons	43,208	17.0	41,446	17.2						
4 persons	37,847	14.9	36,423	15.1	b/		b/		b/	
5 persons	28,537	11.2	27,296	11.3						
6 or more persons	50,285	19.8	46,833	19.5						
Mean number of persons	3.6		3.6							
Family income (monthly):										
Number reporting	230,851	100.0	210,115	100.0						
Less than $150	81,719	35.4	73,832	35.1						
$150 - $199	18,974	8.2	18,455	8.8						
$200 - $249	23,489	10.2	22,354	10.6						
$250 - $299	17,969	7.8	16,661	7.9						
$300 - $349	18,234	7.9	17,038	8.1						
$350 - $399	11,889	5.2	11,038	5.3	b/		b/		b/	
$400 - $449	14,714	6.4	13,464	6.4						
$450 - $499	7,821	3.4	7,106	3.4						
$500 - $599	12,771	5.5	11,605	5.5						
$600 and over	23,271	10.1	18,562	8.8						
Median monthly income	$231		$229							
Marital status:										
Number reporting	262,962	100.0	256,998	100.0	235,296	100.0	203,865	100.0	171,074	100.0
Married	98,150	37.3	95,863	37.3	90,719	38.6	82,133	40.3	72,013	42.1
Widowed	13,034	5.0	12,825	5.0	11,945	5.1	11,125	5.5	9,243	5.4
Divorced	24,306	9.2	22,275	8.7	19,392	8.2	15,726	7.7	12,482	7.3
Separated	18,968	7.2	17,673	6.9	16,357	7.0	13,897	6.8	10,976	6.4
Never married	108,504	41.3	108,362	42.2	96,883	41.2	80,984	39.7	66,360	38.8

a/ For those with one or more dependents.
b/ Not available.

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Table 5.--Major disabling condition of persons rehabilitated by State vocational rehabilitation agencies, Fiscal Years 1967-1971

Major disabling condition	Fiscal Year 1971		1970		1969		1968		1967	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total rehabilitations	291,272	--	266,975	--	241,390	--	207,918	--	173,594	--
Number reporting	263,285	100.0	256,544	100.0	235,257	100.0	204,038	100.0	173,594	100.0
Blindness, both eyes	7,094	2.7	7,364	2.9	7,105	3.0	6,469	3.2	6,050	3.5
Other visual impairments	15,409	5.9	15,056	5.9	13,411	5.7	11,749	5.8	9,895	5.7
Deafness	5,566	2.1	5,915	2.3	5,598	2.4	5,523	2.7	4,923	2.8
Other hearing impairments	8,169	3.1	8,419	3.3	7,171	3.0	6,746	3.3	5,440	3.1
Orthopedic impairments	45,637	17.3	45,688	17.8	43,589	18.5	39,796	19.4	36,218	20.9
One or both upper limbs	5,851	2.2	5,920	2.3	5,972	2.5	5,435	2.7	5,081	2.9
One or both lower limbs	16,325	6.2	16,405	6.4	15,500	6.6	14,105	6.8	12,783	7.4
Three or more limbs or body	3,940	1.5	3,915	1.5	3,743	1.6	3,470	1.7	3,458	2.0
One upper and one lower limb	3,325	1.3	3,375	1.3	3,245	1.4	3,125	1.5	3,104	1.8
Other and ill-defined	16,196	6.2	16,073	6.3	15,129	6.4	13,661	6.7	11,792	6.8
Absence or amputation of extremities	8,604	3.3	9,520	3.7	9,587	4.1	9,790	4.8	9,653	5.6
Both upper extremities	83	a/	103	a/	89	a/	91	0.1	113	0.1
One upper extremity	1,456	0.6	1,764	0.7	1,811	0.8	1,823	0.9	1,773	1.0
One or both lower extremities	6,252	2.4	6,883	2.7	6,807	2.9	6,972	3.4	6,916	4.0
At least one upper and one lower extremity	209	0.1	247	0.1	256	0.1	287	0.1	287	0.2
Other and unspecified parts b/	604	0.2	603	0.2	624	0.3	617	0.3	564	0.3
Mental illness	71,350	27.1	63,287	24.7	54,531	23.2	40,156	19.6	27,897	16.1
Psychotic disorders	15,783	6.0	16,089	6.3	15,419	6.6	13,224	6.4	10,457	6.0
Psychoneurotic disorders	12,811	4.9	11,800	4.6	10,721	4.6	9,003	4.4	7,012	4.0
Alcoholism	13,361	5.1	11,120	4.3	9,118	3.9	5,389	2.6	2,747	1.6
Drug addiction	1,505	0.6	832	0.3	564	0.2	338	0.2	117	0.1
Other character, personality, and behavior disorders	27,890	10.6	23,426	9.1	18,709	8.0	12,202	6.0	7,564	4.4
Mental retardation	29,744	11.3	30,356	11.8	26,762	11.4	21,775	10.7	17,724	10.2
Mental retardation, mild	18,780	7.1	18,992	7.4	16,082	6.8	12,729	6.2	10,249	5.9
Mental retardation, moderate	8,679	3.3	9,065	3.5	8,621	3.7	7,212	3.5	5,876	3.4
Mental retardation, severe	2,285	0.9	2,299	0.9	2,059	0.9	1,834	0.9	1,599	0.9
Hay fever and asthma	2,106	0.8	1,984	0.8	1,813	0.8	1,559	0.8	1,259	0.7
Diabetes mellitus c/	3,249	1.2	3,060	1.2	2,699	1.1	2,252	1.1	1,883	1.0
Epilepsy	4,066	1.5	4,267	1.7	4,284	1.8	3,672	1.8	3,066	1.8
Heart disease	6,990	2.7	7,386	2.9	7,456	3.2	7,387	3.6	5,989	3.4
All other circulatory conditions	3,720	1.4	3,743	1.5	3,555	1.5	3,366	1.6	3,021	1.7
Respiratory system conditions	4,262	1.6	4,655	1.8	5,090	2.2	5,113	2.6	4,907	2.9
Tuberculosis	2,223	0.8	2,743	1.1	3,195	1.4	3,368	1.7	3,486	2.0
Emphysema	529	0.2	569	0.2	563	0.2	543	0.3	453	0.3
All other respiratory system conditions	1,510	0.6	1,343	0.5	1,332	0.6	1,202	0.6	968	0.6
Digestive system conditions	24,048	9.1	22,950	8.9	21,532	9.2	19,365	9.5	16,882	9.7
Conditions of teeth and supporting structures	15,412	5.9	14,266	5.6	13,134	5.6	11,102	5.4	8,724	5.0
Hernia	4,122	1.6	4,286	1.7	4,280	1.8	4,479	2.2	4,895	2.8
All other digestive system conditions	4,514	1.7	4,398	1.7	4,068	1.7	3,784	1.9	3,263	1.9
Genito-urinary system conditions	8,259	3.1	7,791	3.0	6,946	3.0	6,537	3.2	5,745	3.3
Speech impairments	2,277	0.9	2,396	0.9	2,214	0.9	2,067	1.0	1,924	1.1
All other disabling conditions	12,735	4.8	12,727	5.0	11,974	5.1	10,716	5.3	11,118	6.4

a/ Less than 0.05 percent.
b/ Includes fingers and toes, but excludes thumbs.
c/ Excludes diabetes as the cause of another major disabling condition such as blindness or amputation.

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Table 6.--Average (mean) cost[a/] of case services, by major disabling condition, for persons rehabilitated by State vocational rehabilitation agencies, Fiscal Years 1967-1971

Major disabling condition	Fiscal year 1971		1970		1969		1968		1967	
	Number with cost	Average cost (dollars)	Number with cost	Average cost (dollars)	Number with cost	Average cost (dollars)	Number with cost	Average cost (dollars)	Number with cost	Average cost (dollars)
Total rehabilitations	291,272	--	266,975	--	241,390	--	207,918	--	173,594	--
Number reporting cost	243,498	742	231,820	709	213,483	666	189,356	611	158,237	554
Blindness, both eyes	6,807	1,369	6,967	1,249	6,781	1,127	6,144	990	5,816	947
Other visual impairments	14,918	608	14,407	589	12,965	542	11,429	523	9,575	488
Deafness	5,404	766	5,568	707	5,302	661	5,298	574	4,612	529
Other hearing impairments	8,047	576	8,086	547	6,977	525	6,627	493	5,248	473
Orthopedic impairments	42,953	931	41,758	848	40,204	829	37,233	749	33,384	690
One or both upper limbs	5,506	804	5,386	746	5,496	741	5,097	648	4,686	617
One or both lower limbs	15,582	984	15,198	930	14,446	862	13,325	783	11,850	737
Three or more limbs or body	3,714	1,329	3,535	1,312	3,426	1,219	3,219	1,057	3,233	831
One upper and one lower limb	3,164	1,063	3,072	1,044	3,010	947	2,954	928	2,886	739
Other and ill-defined	15,067	798	14,567	754	12,826	705	12,638	693	10,729	611
Absence or amputation of extremities	8,368	763	8,910	709	9,152	664	9,450	650	9,227	572
Both upper extremities	80	1,079	95	1,074	79	832	89	1,001	104	647
One upper extremity	1,408	735	1,619	722	1,713	630	1,730	624	1,685	549
One or both lower extremities	6,118	746	6,432	702	6,562	671	6,791	653	6,643	579
At least one upper and one lower extremity	199	1,060	223	665	239	693	272	677	267	623
Other and unspecified parts	563	874	541	706	559	655	568	615	528	515
Mental illness	59,078	641	51,416	604	43,457	581	32,616	550	22,714	507
Psychotic disorders	12,278	853	12,141	745	11,573	682	9,574	622	7,218	567
Psychoneurotic disorders	11,295	715	10,161	690	9,213	661	7,503	612	5,081	544
Alcoholism	9,775	443	8,438	405	6,667	386	4,105	348	2,162	361
Drug addiction	1,254	804	704	842	496	900	279	750	95	542
Other character, personality and behavior disorders	24,476	572	19,975	551	15,708	537	10,355	507	6,477	518
Mental retardation	27,729	788	27,363	715	24,171	673	19,967	595	16,044	497
Mental retardation, mild	17,515	690	17,121	622	14,407	592	11,565	533	9,207	464
Mental retardation, moderate	8,095	900	8,148	847	7,675	785	6,673	659	5,413	536
Mental retardation, severe	2,119	1,143	2,094	958	1,389	897	1,724	813	1,424	565
Hay fever and asthma	2,024	984	1,868	913	1,716	787	1,403	781	1,192	656
Diabetes mellitus	3,090	950	2,789	869	2,453	757	2,115	696	1,755	635
Epilepsy	3,811	939	3,837	867	3,917	762	3,420	678	2,831	564
Heart disease	6,345	1,026	6,477	933	6,547	887	6,668	813	5,366	700
All other circulatory conditions	3,529	616	3,496	582	3,249	559	3,167	475	2,787	434
Respiratory system conditions	3,763	684	3,968	641	4,281	591	4,379	542	4,227	477
Tuberculosis	1,893	594	2,267	628	2,630	564	2,815	521	2,948	451
Emphysema	478	662	496	572	495	545	480	481	406	433
All other respiratory system conditions	1,392	814	1,205	693	1,156	672	1,084	624	873	588
Digestive system conditions	23,351	486	22,073	467	20,753	421	18,954	396	16,355	358
Conditions of teeth and supporting structures	15,022	377	13,825	360	12,623	345	10,835	315	9,253	289
Hernia	4,018	578	4,130	545	4,116	474	4,400	432	4,745	381
All other digestive system conditions	4,311	785	4,118	745	3,669	631	3,619	597	3,043	504
Genito-urinary system conditions	7,926	784	7,478	758	6,526	631	6,355	540	5,391	473
Speech impairments	2,193	984	2,239	853	2,088	847	1,998	772	1,808	671
All other disabling conditions	12,069	705	11,652	651	10,623	613	10,193	532	9,805	474
Type of disability not reported	2,093	564	1,464	825	2,311	869	1,849	635	--	--

a/ The average cost is the cost per rehabilitated person receiving case services paid for by the State vocational rehabilitation agency. Some services were obtained free or were paid for, wholly or in part, by other organizations or individuals or by the client. The cost of administration, guidance, counseling, and placement is excluded.

b/ Not available.

c/ Not comparable to figures for subsequent years.

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Table 7.--Primary cause of selected major disabling conditions of persons rehabilitated by State vocational rehabilitation agencies, Fiscal Years 1968-1971

Primary cause of selected major disabling conditions	Fiscal Year 1971		1970		1969		1968	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total rehabilitations	291,272	--	266,975	--	241,390	--	207,918	--
Total-causes of selected[a] disabilities	90,479	--	91,962	--	86,461	--	80,073	--
Visual impairments-total	22,503	100.0	22,420	100.0	20,516	100.0	18,218	100.0
Cataract	4,103	18.2	4,148	18.5	3,833	18.7	3,591	19.7
Glaucoma	1,273	5.7	1,222	5.5	1,167	5.7	1,084	6.0
All other diseases	7,214	32.1	6,992	31.2	6,429	31.3	5,787	31.8
Congenital conditions	3,519	15.6	3,743	16.7	3,509	17.1	3,040	16.7
Accidents and injuries	2,687	11.9	2,814	12.6	2,637	12.9	2,413	13.2
Cause unknown	3,707	16.5	3,501	15.6	2,941	14.3	2,303	12.6
Hearing impairments-total	13,735	100.0	14,334	100.0	12,769	100.0	12,269	100.0
Non-infectious diseases	4,108	29.9	4,188	29.2	3,902	30.6	3,769	30.7
Infectious diseases	1,752	12.8	2,030	14.2	1,847	14.5	1,891	15.4
Congenital conditions	3,118	22.7	3,277	22.9	2,969	23.3	2,844	23.2
Accidents and injuries	628	4.6	[illegible]	5.0	657	5.1	551	4.5
Cause unknown	4,129	30.1	[illegible]	28.8	3,394	26.6	3,214	26.2
Orthopedic impairments-total	45,637	100.0	45,688	100.0	43,589	100.0	39,796	100.0
Cerebral palsy	1,718	3.8	1,754	3.8	1,750	4.0	1,632	4.1
All other congenital conditions	4,670	10.2	4,748	10.4	4,441	10.2	3,971	10.1
Arthritis and rheumatism	4,253	9.3	4,257	9.3	3,960	9.1	3,646	9.2
Stroke[b]	1,680	3.7	1,634	3.6	1,581	3.6	1,485	3.7
Poliomyelitis	4,311	9.4	4,747	10.4	4,630	10.6	4,337	10.9
Muscular dystrophy	252	0.6	294	0.6	287	0.7	303	0.8
Multiple sclerosis	498	1.1	496	1.1	497	1.1	461	1.2
Parkinson's disease	101	0.2	120	0.3	114	0.3	120	0.3
All other diseases	4,996	10.9	5,063	11.1	4,920	11.3	4,526	11.4
Accidents and injuries	23,158	50.7	22,575	49.4	21,409	49.1	19,315	48.5
Absence or amputation of extremities-total	8,604	100.0	9,520	100.0	9,567	100.0	9,790	100.0
Malignant neoplasms[c]	281	3.3	293	3.1	317	3.3	335	3.4
All other diseases	1,997	23.2	2,386	25.1	2,101	21.9	2,208	22.6
Congenital conditions	494	5.7	540	5.7	484	5.0	482	4.9
Accidents and injuries	5,832	67.8	6,594	69.3	6,685	69.7	6,765	69.1

a/ With few exceptions, causes of other disabilities are either not applicable or inappropriate.
b/ Excludes strokes causing aphasia. Total number of stroke cases was 1,824 in 1971; 1,791 in 1970; 1,708 in 1969; and 1,591 in 1968.
c/ Excludes malignant neoplasms causing conditions other than amputation of extremities. Totals for malignant neoplasms were 1,069 in 1971; 1067 for 1970; 1,049 for 1969; and 861 for 1968.

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Table 8.--Public assistance status and type and length of time on public assistance rolls for persons rehabilitated by State vocational rehabilitation agencies, Fiscal Years 1967-1971

Public assistance	Fiscal Year 1971 Number	1971 Percent	1970 Number	1970 Percent	1969 Number	1969 Percent	1968 Number	1968 Percent	1967 Number	1967 Percent
Total rehabilitations	291,272	--	266,975	--	241,390	--	207,918	--	173,594	--
Public assistance status and type:										
At referral										
Number reporting status	261,845	100.0	251,394	100.0	237,490	100.0	205,767	100.0	173,594	100.0
Clients not receiving public assistance	229,359	87.6	223,086	88.7	213,023	89.8	183,127	89.0	152,143	87.6
Clients receiving public assistance	32,486	12.4	28,308	11.3	24,475	10.3	22,640	11.0	21,451	12.4
Clients receiving public assistance	32,486	100.0	28,308	100.0	24,475	100.0	22,640	100.0	21,451	100.0
Old-Age Assistance	772	2.4	669	2.4	486	2.0	500	2.2	459	2.1
Aid to the Blind	1,442	4.4	1,514	5.3	1,399	5.7	1,414	6.2	1,194	5.6
Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled	4,531	13.9	3,966	14.0	3,294	13.5	2,706	12.0	2,152	10.0
Aid to Families with Dependent Children a/	19,213	59.1	16,887	59.7	13,740	56.1	12,427	54.9	10,643	49.6
General Assistance	5,286	16.3	4,812	17.0	4,265	17.3	4,004	17.7	3,220	15.0
Two or more programs (other than AFDC)	371	1.1	299	1.1	310	1.3	369	1.6	261	1.2
Type not known	871	2.7	161	0.6	1,001	4.1	1,220	5.4	3,523	16.4
Aggregate monthly amount of public assistance ($000)	$4,235		$3,527		$2,992		$2,665		$2,366	
At closure										
Number reporting status	265,309	100.0	257,917	100.0	237,124	100.0	204,234	100.0	173,114	100.0
Clients not receiving public assistance	245,873	92.7	241,328	93.6	223,092	94.1	191,891	94.0	163,074	94.2
Clients receiving public assistance	19,436	7.3	16,589	6.4	14,032	5.9	12,343	6.0	10,040	5.8
Clients receiving public assistance	19,436	100.0	16,589	100.0	14,032	100.0	12,343	100.0	10,040	100.0
Old-Age Assistance	631	3.2	609	3.7	468	3.3	458	3.7	400	4.0
Aid to the Blind	1,491	7.7	1,567	9.4	1,438	10.2	1,381	11.2	1,151	11.5
Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled	3,898	20.1	3,180	19.2	2,548	18.2	2,034	16.5	1,530	15.2
Aid to Families with Dependent Children a/	10,764	55.4	9,083	54.8	7,084	50.5	6,380	51.7	5,433	54.1
General Assistance	2,079	10.7	1,720	10.4	1,454	10.4	1,171	9.5	859	8.6
Two or more programs (other than AFDC)	217	1.1	167	1.0	153	1.1	159	1.3	137	1.4
Type not known	356	1.8	263	1.6	887	6.3	760	6.2	530	5.3
Aggregate monthly amount of public assistance ($000)	$2,417		$1,867		$1,555		$1,311		$902	
Clients receiving public assistance at any time during vocational rehabilitation process	40,321	13.8	32,345	12.1	b/		b/		b/	
Time on public assistance rolls:										
At referral										
Clients receiving public assistance	32,486	--	28,308	--						
Clients reporting time	28,048	100.0	20,302	100.0						
Less than 6 months	8,591	30.6	4,153	20.5	b/		b/		b/	
6 months but less than 1 year	4,697	16.7	3,257	16.0						
1 year but less than 2 years	4,475	16.0	3,981	19.6						
2 years but less than 3 years	2,833	10.1	2,474	12.2						
3 years but less than 4 years	1,749	6.2	1,465	7.2						
4 years but less than 5 years	1,037	3.7	840	4.1						
5 years or more	4,666	16.6	4,132	20.4						

a/ Includes clients receiving AFDC only or AFDC in combination with other types of public assistance.
b/ Not available.

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Table 9.--Source of referral of persons rehabilitated by State vocational rehabilitation agencies, Fiscal Years 1967-1971

Source of referral	Fiscal Year 1971		1970		1969		1968		1967	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total rehabilitations	291,272	--	266,975	--	241,390	--	207,918	--	173,594	--
Number reporting	262,872	100.0	252,347	100.0	233,781	100.0	203,284	100.0	173,161	100.0
Educational institutions	40,526	15.4	41,528	16.5	35,625	15.2	29,556	14.5	25,151	14.5
Elementary or high school	32,138	12.2	31,503	12.5	27,681	11.8	22,961	11.3	19,366	11.2
All other educational institutions	8,388	3.2	10,025	4.0	7,944	3.4	6,595	3.2	5,785	3.3
Hospitals and sanatoriums	40,941	15.6	39,949	15.8	37,816	16.2	32,868	16.1	27,566	15.9
Mental hospital	21,239	8.1	21,088	8.4	19,778	8.5	16,337	8.0	12,882	7.4
All other hospitals or clinics	19,702	7.5	18,861	7.5	18,038	7.7	16,531	8.1	14,684	8.5
Health organizations and agencies	14,612	5.6	14,427	5.7	13,805	5.9	12,138	6.0	9,762	5.7
Rehabilitation facility	4,423	1.7	4,181	1.7	3,665	1.6	3,217	1.6	2,109	1.2
State crippled children's agency	670	0.2	1,105	0.4	678	0.3	688	0.3	771	0.4
All other health organizations and agencies (public and private)	9,519	3.6	9,141	3.6	9,462	4.0	8,233	4.0	6,882	4.0
Welfare agencies	23,525	8.9	21,746	8.6	22,244	9.5	20,983	10.3	19,514	11.3
Public welfare agency	22,079	8.4	20,056	7.9	19,263	8.2	18,607	9.2	17,660	10.2
Private welfare agency	1,446	0.6	1,690	0.7	2,981	1.3	2,376	1.2	1,854	1.1
Public organizations and agencies[a/]	47,401	18.0	44,249	17.5	39,322	16.8	31,173	15.3	24,387	14.1
Social Security Administration	7,935	3.0	7,994	3.2	7,326	3.1	5,821	2.9	4,815	2.8
Workmen's compensation agencies	1,742	0.7	1,987	0.8	2,308	1.0	2,204	1.1	2,154	1.3
State employment service	11,061	4.2	12,049	4.8	11,904	5.1	10,670	5.3	9,358	5.4
Correctional institution, court or officer	15,250	5.8	11,401	4.5	8,379	3.6	4,517	2.2	1,438	0.8
All other public organizations and agencies	11,413	4.3	10,818	4.3	9,405	4.0	7,961	3.9	6,622	3.8
Private organizations and agencies[a/]	7,360	2.8	7,895	3.1	8,098	3.5	7,521	3.7	6,631	3.8
Artificial appliance company	4,402	1.7	4,733	1.9	4,612	2.0	4,545	2.2	4,039	2.3
All other private organizations and agencies	2,958	1.1	3,162	1.3	3,486	1.5	2,976	1.5	2,592	1.5
Individuals	88,507	33.7	82,553	32.7	76,871	32.9	69,045	34.0	60,150	34.7
Self-referred person	32,243	12.3	27,947	11.1	26,661	11.4	22,875	11.3	19,732	11.4
Physician	28,528	10.9	28,228	11.2	27,159	11.6	26,158	12.9	23,415	13.5
All other individuals	27,736	10.6	26,378	10.5	23,051	9.9	20,012	9.8	17,003	9.8

a/ Not specifically educational, health, or welfare.

Table 10.--Previous closure status of persons rehabilitated by State vocational rehabilitation agencies, Fiscal Years 1967-1971

Previous closure status[a/]	Fiscal Year 1971		1970		1969		1968		1967	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total rehabilitations	291,272	--	266,975	--	241,390	--	207,918	--	173,594	--
Number reporting	247,048	100.0	242,036	100.0	237,687	100.0	193,571	100.0	170,335	100.0
Previous closure	21,725	8.8	20,574	8.5	27,460	11.5	23,039	11.9	21,598	12.7
Rehabilitated	15,603	6.3	15,363	6.3	21,443	9.0	18,512	9.6	18,408	10.8
Not rehabilitated	6,122	2.5	5,211	2.2	6,017	2.5	4,527	2.3	3,190	1.9
No previous closure	225,323	91.2	221,462	91.5	210,227	88.4	170,532	88.1	148,737	87.3

a/ Limited to closures within 3 years of the most recent referral beginning with 1970.

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Table 11.--Primary source of support of persons rehabilitated by State vocational rehabilitation agencies, Fiscal Years 1967-1971

Primary source of support[a/]	Fiscal Year									
	1971		1970		1969		1968		1967	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total rehabilitations	291,272	--	266,975	--	241,390	--	207,918	--	173,594	--
Number reporting	257,830	100.0	251,779	100.0	234,164	100.0	203,122	100.0	171,800	100.0
Current earnings	50,292	19.5	50,550	20.1	47,759	20.4	41,175	20.3	35,587	20.7
Family and friends	132,946	51.6	131,035	52.0	118,465	50.6	104,322	51.4	88,303	51.4
Private relief agency	601	0.2	534	0.2	534	0.2	512	0.2	497	0.3
Public assistance	22,266	8.6	20,487	8.1	20,249	8.6	18,430	9.1	16,877	9.8
Public institution	26,850	10.4	24,605	9.8	21,677	9.3	16,123	7.9	10,546	6.1
Workmen's compensation	3,055	1.2	3,379	1.3	3,324	1.4	3,191	1.6	3,329	2.0
Social Security Disability Insurance benefits	6,633	2.6	6,819	2.7	8,166	3.5	6,756	3.3	4,968	2.9
Other benefits, including unemployment benefits	10,149	3.9	9,381	3.7	9,079	3.9	8,217	4.0	7,665	4.5
Annuity or other non-disability insurance	535	0.3	498	0.2	445	0.2	433	0.2	376	0.2
Disability or sickness benefits (private); savings; other sources	4,503	1.7	4,491	1.8	4,466	1.9	3,963	2.0	3,652	2.1

a/ Primary source of support is client's largest single source, not necessarily his sole source.

Table 12.--Social Security Disability Insurance status at closure of persons rehabilitated by State vocational rehabilitation agencies, Fiscal Years 1967-1971

SSDI status at closure	Fiscal Year									
	1971		1970		1969		1968		1967	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total rehabilitations	291,272	--	266,975	--	241,390	--	207,918	--	173,594	--
Number reporting	261,686	100.0	257,312	100.0	236,434	100.0	204,960	100.0	173,594	100.0
Non-SSDI applicants	235,718	90.1	230,852	89.7	210,441	89.0	182,741	89.2	154,942	89.3
SSDI applicants	25,968	9.9	26,460	10.3	25,993	11.0	22,219	10.8	18,652	10.7
All SSDI applicants	25,968	100.0	26,460	100.0	25,993	100.0	22,219	100.0	18,652	100.0
Allowed benefits	14,885	57.3	14,880	56.2	14,387	55.3	11,972	53.8	8,951	48.0
Denied benefits	7,779	30.0	8,508	32.2	9,329	35.9	8,280	37.3	7,211	38.7
Status of application pending	1,301	5.0	1,270	4.8	2,277	8.8	1,967	8.9	2,490	13.3
Benefits discontinued or terminated	2,003	7.7	1,802	6.8	a/		a/		a/	

a/ Not available.

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Table 13.--Work status at referral and closure of persons rehabilitated by State vocational rehabilitation agencies, Fiscal Years 1967-1971

Work status	Fiscal Year 1971 Number	1971 Percent	1970 Number	1970 Percent	1969 Number	1969 Percent	1968 Number	1968 Percent	1967 Number	1967 Percent
Total rehabilitations	291,272	--	266,975	--	241,390	--	207,918	--	173,594	--
At referral										
Number reporting	262,081	100.0	256,202	100.0	233,410	100.0	201,506	100.0	173,594	100.0
Wage or salaried workers:	50,597	19.3	51,159	20.0	46,976	20.1	39,514	19.6	30,683	17.7
Competitive labor market	49,163	18.8	49,519	19.3	45,264	19.4	37,906	18.8	29,488	17.0
Sheltered workshops	1,434	0.5	1,640	0.6	1,712	0.7	1,608	0.8	1,195	0.7
Self-employed b/	3,034	1.2	3,195	1.2	3,006	1.3	2,898	1.4	2,779	1.6
Homemakers	17,298	6.6	16,767	6.5	15,645	6.7	14,601	7.3	11,207	6.5
Unpaid family workers	1,437	0.5	1,692	0.7	1,812	0.8	1,695	0.8	1,655	0.9
Not working:	189,715	72.4	183,389	71.6	165,971	71.1	142,758	70.9	127,270	73.3
Students	43,674	16.7	43,432	17.0	36,662	15.6	29,537	14.7	22,579	13.0
Trainees	3,213	1.2	1,864	0.7	a/		a/		a/	
Others	142,828	54.5	138,093	53.9	129,529	55.5	114,261	56.7	104,691	60.3
At closure										
Number reporting	257,738	100.0	254,136	100.0	236,800	100.0	205,245	100.0	173,594	100.0
Wage or salaried workers:	201,445	78.2	202,697	79.8	189,101	79.9	161,558	78.7	137,507	79.2
Competitive labor market	193,047	74.9	194,851	76.7	181,764	76.8	155,023	75.5	132,535	76.2
Sheltered workshops	8,398	3.3	7,846	3.1	7,337	3.1	6,528	3.2	4,972	2.9
Self-employed b/	9,397	3.6	8,921	3.5	8,653	3.7	8,371	4.1	7,755	4.5
Homemakers	40,569	15.7	36,576	14.4	33,608	14.2	30,599	14.9	24,572	14.2
Unpaid family workers	6,327	2.5	5,942	2.3	5,438	2.3	4,724	2.3	3,760	2.2

a/ Not available. b/ Includes State agency-managed business enterprises.

Table 14.--Type of occupation at closure for persons rehabilitated by State vocational rehabilitation agencies, Fiscal Years 1967-1971

Occupation	1971 Number	1971 Percent	1970 Number	1970 Percent	1969 Number	1969 Percent	1968 Number	1968 Percent	1967 Number	1967 Percent
Total rehabilitations	291,272	--	266,975	--	241,390	--	207,918	--	173,594	--
Number reporting	257,362	100.0	255,735	100.0	237,233	100.0	205,080	100.0	173,594	100.0
Professional, technical, and managerial b/	27,497	10.7	24,512	9.6	21,508	9.1	18,047	8.8	15,115	8.7
Clerical	26,630	10.3	29,446	11.5	27,647	11.7	23,939	11.7	20,236	11.7
Sales b/	10,686	4.2	10,575	4.1	9,575	4.0	8,208	4.0	7,387	4.3
Service	56,435	21.9	57,809	22.6	54,653	23.0	48,405	23.7	40,702	23.4
Agriculture	9,645	3.7	9,217	3.6	8,936	3.8	8,374	4.1	8,075	4.7
Industrial:	75,615	29.4	77,991	30.5	72,256	30.5	59,022	28.8	50,637	29.2
Skilled	21,664	8.4	22,063	8.6	20,571	8.7	17,305	8.4	14,912	8.6
Semi-skilled	8,487	3.3	9,255	3.6	8,464	3.6	7,134	3.5	6,398	3.7
Unskilled	45,464	17.7	46,673	18.3	43,221	18.2	34,583	16.9	29,327	16.9
Sheltered workshop workers a/	3,958	1.5	3,667	1.4	3,612	1.5	3,762	1.8	3,110	1.8
Homemakers	40,569	15.8	36,576	14.3	33,608	14.2	30,599	14.9	24,572	14.2
Unpaid family workers	6,327	2.5	5,942	2.3	5,438	2.3	4,724	2.3	3,760	2.2

a/ Beginning in 1967 includes only sheltered workshop occupations not classifiable into regular occupational categories. See table above for total number of sheltered workshop workers for each year. b/ Includes vending stand personnel.

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Table 15.--Weekly earnings at referral and closure of persons rehabilitated by State vocational rehabilitation agencies, Fiscal Years 1967-1971

Weekly earnings	Fiscal Year 1971		1970		1969		1968		1967	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total rehabilitations	291,272	--	266,075	--	241,300	--	207,912	--	173,500	--
At referral										
Number reporting	258,260	100.0	253,524	100.0	234,143	100.0	202,017	100.0	173,089	100.0
No earnings	201,260	77.9	196,606	77.5	182,634	78.0	158,741	78.6	141,097	81.5
Less than $20	5,117	2.0	5,591	2.2	5,263	2.2	5,163	2.6	4,716	2.7
$20 - 39	10,289	4.0	10,974	4.3	10,666	4.6	9,870	4.9	8,513	4.9
$40 - 59	12,246	4.7	13,040	5.1	12,582	5.4	11,401	5.6	9,710	5.6
$60 - 79	12,334	4.8	12,172	4.8	10,807	4.6	9,082	4.5	5,051	2.9
$80 - 99	6,672	2.6	6,281	2.5	5,421	2.3	3,563	2.0	2,526	1.5
$100 - 124	5,258	2.0	4,788	1.9						
$125 - 149	2,193	0.8	1,964	0.8	6,893	2.9	4,689	2.3	2,471	1.4
$150 and over	2,891	1.1	2,108	0.8						
Mean earnings of all clients reporting	$14.44		$13.88		$13.16		$11.36		$ 9.18	
Mean earnings of clients with earnings	$65.40		$61.84		$59.83		$55.37		$49.65	
At closure										
Number reporting	260,020	100.0	255,222	100.0	236,022	100.0	204,203	100.0	173,330	100.0
No earnings	47,479	18.3	42,362	16.6	39,256	16.6	35,757	17.5	29,998	17.3
Less than $20	10,727	4.1	9,854	3.9	9,549	4.0	9,374	4.6	8,695	5.0
$20 - 39	22,845	8.8	23,617	9.3	23,547	10.0	23,634	11.6	23,029	13.3
$40 - 59	28,140	10.8	31,428	12.3	33,724	14.3	37,568	18.4	40,367	23.3
$60 - 79	55,994	21.5	58,708	23.0	58,151	24.6	46,445	22.7	35,222	20.3
$80 - 99	36,428	14.0	35,729	14.0	30,914	13.1	22,806	11.2	17,802	10.3
$100 - 124	29,149	11.2	28,288	11.1						
$125 - 149	13,834	5.3	12,800	5.0	40,881	17.3	28,619	14.0	18,217	10.5
$150 and over	15,424	5.9	12,436	4.9						
Mean earnings of all clients reporting	$64.49		$63.73		$61.14		$55.34		$51.33	
Mean earnings of clients with earnings	$78.90		$76.42		$73.33		$67.09		$62.07	

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Table 16.--Type of case service provided persons rehabilitated by State vocational rehabilitation agencies, Fiscal Years 1970-1971

Type of case service	Fiscal Year 1971		1970	
	Persons receiving services			
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total rehabilitations	291,272	--	266,975	--
Number reporting[a/]	259,694	100.0	246,541	100.0
Diagnostic and evaluation	235,505	90.7	228,383	92.6
Restoration (physical or mental)	128,082	49.3	121,258	49.2
Training[a/]	126,417	48.7	117,121	47.5
College or university	23,215	8.9	20,398	8.3
Other academic	6,679	2.6	5,315	2.2
Business school or college	10,094	3.9	10,876	4.4
Vocational school	29,914	11.5	28,093	11.4
On-the-job training	17,495	6.7	16,687	6.8
Personal and vocational adjustment	55,605	21.4	52,057	21.1
Miscellaneous	25,712	9.9	19,380	7.9
Maintenance	45,785	17.6	43,275	17.6
Other services to clients	66,413	25.6	56,408	22.9
Services to family members	4,934	1.9	3,938	1.6

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Table .--Cost[b/] of case services provided persons rehabilitated by State vocational rehabilitation agencies, Fiscal Years 1970-1971

Cost of case services	Fiscal Year 1971		1970	
	Persons receiving services			
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total rehabilitations	291,272	--	266,975	--
Number reporting	263,946	100.0	252,780	100.0
Clients served without cost[c/]	23,006	8.7	21,360	8.5
Clients served with cost	240,940	91.3	231,420	91.5
Clients served with cost	240,940	100.0	231,420	100.0
$1-$99	59,194	24.6	57,511	24.9
$100 - $199	24,569	10.2	24,013	10.4
$200 - $299	20,510	8.5	20,809	9.0
$300 - $399	21,790	9.0	21,622	9.4
$400 - $599	30,796	12.8	28,720	12.4
$600 - $799	20,323	8.4	18,847	8.1
$800 - $999	13,886	5.8	12,475	5.4
$1,000 - $1,999	29,679	12.3	29,009	12.5
$2,000 - $2,999	9,826	4.1	9,491	4.1
$3,000 and over	10,367	4.3	8,923	3.9
Average cost[d/]	$742		$709	

a/ Sum of numbers and percentages will exceed totals because some clients received more than one type of service or training.
b/ "Cost" refers to case service costs incurred by State agencies. Costs of administration, guidance, counseling and placement are excluded.
c/ Refers to case services obtained free or paid for, wholly or in part, by organizations, other than the State agency, or individuals including the clients.
d/ Computed only from those clients receiving services with cost to State agency.

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Table 18.--Number of months from referral to closure and in training for persons rehabilitated by State vocational rehabilitation agencies, Fiscal Years 1967-1971

Number of months	Fiscal Year									
	1971		1970		1969		1968		1967	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total rehabilitations	291,272	--	266,975	--	241,390	--	207,918	--	173,594	--
Referral-applicant statuses:										
Number reporting	263,137	100.0	256,022	100.0	237,779	100.0	206,041	100.0	173,517	100.0
Less than 1 month	49,903	19.0	49,527	19.3	54,940	23.1	46,018	22.3	41,119	23.7
1 month	62,389	23.7	61,107	23.9	51,766	21.8	47,294	23.0	45,252	26.1
2 months	42,041	16.0	38,805	15.2	33,619	14.1	31,753	15.4	25,198	14.5
3 months	27,270	10.4	26,071	10.2	22,973	9.7	20,598	10.0	16,740	9.6
4-6 months	39,974	15.2	39,696	15.5	34,619	14.6	31,131	15.1	23,923	13.8
7-12 months	24,437	9.3	25,243	9.9	24,650	10.4	19,964	9.2	13,585	7.8
13 or more months	17,123	6.5	15,573	6.1	15,212	6.4	10,286	5.0	7,700	4.4
Median	2 months		2 months		2 months		2 months		2 months	
Mean	4 months		4 months		4 months		3 months		3 months	
Acceptance to closure:										
Number reporting	226,891	100.0	247,493	100.0	237,792	100.0	206,052	100.0	173,450	100.0
Less than 4 months	38,190	16.8	42,703	17.3	41,697	17.5	36,875	17.9	26,982	15.6
4-6 months	41,415	18.3	43,645	17.6	45,256	19.0	41,491	20.1	33,781	19.4
7-9 months	30,491	13.4	31,600	12.8	59,675	25.1	53,250	25.8	44,139	25.5
10-12 months	22,227	9.8	24,268	9.8						
13-18 months	30,983	13.7	36,138	14.6	34,045	14.3	27,949	13.6	25,625	14.8
19-24 months	19,516	8.6	22,946	9.3	40,764	17.1	32,558	15.8	15,482	8.9
25-36 months	22,375	9.9	24,521	9.9					13,796	8.0
37 or more months	21,694	9.6	21,672	8.8	16,355	6.9	13,929	6.8	13,645	7.9
Median	10 months		11 months		10 months		9 months		10 months	
Mean	15 months		15 months		14 months		13 months		14 months	
In training:										
Number reporting	257,834	100.0	250,279	100.0						
Clients not receiving training	153,408	59.5	147,826	59.1	a/		a/		a/	
Clients receiving training	104,426	40.5	102,453	40.9						
Clients receiving training	104,426	100.0	102,453	100.0						
1-3 months	19,936	19.1	20,684	20.2						
4-6 months	17,013	16.3	17,146	16.7						
7-9 months	13,318	12.8	13,204	12.9						
10-12 months	10,950	10.5	10,900	10.6						
13-18 months	15,760	15.1	14,980	14.6						
19-24 months	9,058	8.7	8,589	8.4						
25-36 months	9,481	9.1	8,307	8.1						
37 or more months	8,910	8.5	8,643	8.4						
Median	11 months		10 months							
Mean	14 months		14 months							

a/ Not available.

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Table 19. Highest and lowest rankings of States[a/], by selected characteristics of persons rehabilitated during Fiscal Year 1971

(Percentages are based on the number of rehabilitated cases for which each characteristic was reported on computer tabulations of Case Service Report, Form RSA-300)

Rank	(1) Age at referral				(2) Sex		(3) Race	
	State	Less than 20 years old	State	45 years old or older	State	Males	State	Negro and other minority races
1	Ind.	48.2	W.Va.	38.0	Mont.	70.1	D.C.	87.2
2	Iowa	41.0	Nevada	36.3	Calif.	69.0	Hawaii	79.3
3	R.I.	39.7	Pa.	32.7	Oregon	65.8	S.C.	42.0
4	Nebr.	38.4	Ala.	31.1	N.Mex.	65.7	Alaska	37.1
5	Conn.	34.8	Ark.	30.9	N.Dak.	65.7	Va.	36.8
	U.S.	23.4	U.S.	26.3	U.S.	55.3	U.S.	22.2
47	Calif.	13.4	Colo.	15.8	Nevada	48.7	Wyo.	2.5
48	W.Va.	12.9	Wash.	15.7	Ky.	45.7	Idaho	1.8
49	Nevada	11.1	Ind.	15.4	Ga.	45.1	N.H.	0.7
50	S.Dak.	10.0	Iowa	14.3	Okla.	43.3	Maine	0.7
51	Oregon	8.1	Utah	10.2	W.Va.	42.2	Vt.	0.2

Rank	(4) Dependents		(5) SSDI status at closure		(6) Monthly family income at referral			
	State	One or more	State	Applicants	State	Less than $300	State	$450 or more
1	Calif.	52.2	Hawaii	23.6	P.R.	85.2	Ind.	50.3
2	P.R.	51.1	Alaska	20.2	Ala.	83.8	Conn.	40.6
3	Oregon	50.9	Wisc.	18.8	D.C.	82.2	S.Dak.	39.2
4	Idaho	49.6	Vt.	18.2	Miss.	79.6	R.I.	37.8
5	Ariz.	49.1	Nevada	17.7	Tenn.	77.4	N.Y.	35.7
	U.S.	39.1	U.S.	9.9	U.S.	61.6	U.S.	19.0
47	Conn.	25.4	Ky.	5.6	Ill.	41.4	S.C.	8.4
48	Mass.	24.7	N.C.	5.3	R.I.	38.6	Miss.	6.7
49	Ind.	24.3	Va.	4.5	S.Dak.	38.0	D.C.	5.9
50	R.I.	22.6	P.R.	3.8	Conn.	32.5	Ala.	5.5
51	Hawaii	16.6	D.C.	3.6	Ind.	26.5	P.R.	3.7

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Table 19. Highest and lowest rankings of States[a/], by selected characteristics of persons rehabilitated during Fiscal Year 1971 (continued)

(Percentages are based on the number of rehabilitated cases for which each characteristic was reported on computer tabulations of Case Service Report, Form RSA-300)

	(7) Competitive labor market employment				(8) Public assistance recipients			
Rank	State	At referral	State	At closure	State	At referral	State	At closure
1	W.Va.	35.2	D.C.	94.9	Wash.	26.6	Okla.	19.7
2	Ill.	34.3	Mont.	88.7	Okla.	23.7	Vt.	14.6
3	Ga.	27.4	Ariz.	88.2	Utah	23.4	Calif.	14.0
4	Pa.	26.6	Kans.	85.2	Vt.	22.4	Del.	13.9
5	Fla.	24.4	Oregon	84.4	Calif.	21.6	Oregon	12.6
	U.S.	18.8	U.S.	74.9	U.S.	12.4	U.S.	7.3
47	Minn.	12.0	Ark.	68..	D.C.	7.2	Conn.	4.1
48	Va.	11.9	Okla.	67.8	Ark.	7.1	Mont.	3.9
49	N.Y.	11.8	R.I.	66.3	Tex.	7.0	Mass.	3.6
50	Wash.	11.0	Ky.	56.7	Ind.	4.3	Ind.	3.5
51	Ky.	8.6	Vt.	56.5	S.C.	3.6	D.C.	2.1

	(9) Primary source of support at referral		(10) Months spent in referred and active caseload statuses (average)			
Rank	State	Public institutions	State	Referred statuses	State	Active caseload
1	D.C.	29.2	D.C.	1.3	D.C.	8.2
2	Nebr.	25.7	Ky.	1.5	Ky.	10.2
3	N.H.	25.4	Ark.	1.7	Md.	10.4
4	Wyo.	23.1	Mont.	2.0	N.C.	10.6
5	Md.	22.8	La.	2.1	Tex.	10.6
	U.S.	10.4	U.S.	3.7	U.S.	15.1
47	Ill.	3.9	Me.	4.7	S.D.	22.1
48	W.Va.	3.9	N.H.	4.9	Mont.	22.8
49	R.I.	3.0	Minn.	5.4	R.I.	23.4
50	Ind.	1.9	Ga.	5.9	Ind.	23.8
51	P.R.	1.8	P.R.	7.9	P.R.	26.2

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Table 19. Highest and lowest rankings of States[a/], by selected characteristics of persons rehabilitated during Fiscal Year 1971 (continued)

(Percentages are based on the number of rehabilitated cases for which each characteristic was reported on computer tabulations of Case Service Report, Form RSA-300)

	(11) Major disabling condition							
Rank	State	Blindness	State	Deafness	State	Mental illness	State	Mental retardation
1	Nevada	8.2	R.I.	6.0	N.Dak.	58.3	Hawaii	19.6
2	N.H.	8.0	Maine	4.8	D.C.	51.5	Mo.	19.0
3	N.Y.	6.5	Mich.	4.6	Utah	50.8	Minn.	18.1
4	Maine	6.0	Mass.	4.6	Conn.	49.4	Nebr.	16.5
5	R.I.	5.0	S.Dak.	4.4	Calif.	46.1	Miss.	16.1
	U.S.	2.7	U.S.	2.1	U.S.	27.1	U.S.	11.3
47	Wyo.	1.1	Pa.	1.2	Tenn.	16.9	Ark.	5.2
48	Alaska	1.0	Del.	1.1	W.Va.	10.0	Idaho	4.9
49	S.Dak.	1.0	Va.	1.1	Miss.	9.9	Okla.	4.7
50	Wisc.	1.0	Ky.	0.9	Ind.	5.8	W.Va.	4.7
51	Ky.	0.9	Wyo.	0.7	Idaho	5.2	Nevada	4.5

	(11) Major disabling condition (cont'd)							
Rank	State	Orthopedic impairments	State	Amputations	State	Heart disease	State	Digestive system conditions
1	Idaho	39.0	Ind.	11.1	Idaho	7.9	Okla.	26.4
2	Oregon	36.5	Ohio	6.5	Vt.	7.3	W.Va.	26.4
3	Mont.	34.3	Maine	6.0	Del.	5.3	Ill.	24.2
4	N.Mex.	30.5	Mo.	5.4	Mass.	5.1	Vt.	15.7
5	Ind.	27.5	Pa.	5.3	N.Y.	4.8	Ga.	15.5
	U.S.	17.3	U.S.	3.3	U.S.	2.7	U.S.	9.1
47	Ga.	12.5	Ariz.	1.8	Conn.	1.7	Wisc.	0.9
48	N.C.	12.3	N.H.	1.7	Okla.	1.6	Conn.	0.8
49	Conn.	12.2	Calif.	1.5	Miss.	1.6	Ind.	0.7
50	S.C.	12.2	Utah	1.1	Tex.	1.5	N.Y.	0.7
51	D.C.	8.6	D.C.	1.0	P.R.	1.5	Minn.	0.5

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Table 19. Highest and lowest rankings of States[a], by selected characteristics of persons rehabilitated during Fiscal Year 1971 (continued)

(Percentages are based on the number of rehabilitated cases for which each characteristic was reported on computer tabulations of Case Service Report, Form RSA-300)

	(12) Occupation at closure						(13) Average cost of case services[b]	
Rank	State	Prof., tech., managerial	State	Unskilled	State	Homemaker	State	Amount ($)
1	Ariz.	22.1	Wisc.	22.8	Ky.	32.8	N.Y.	$1,653
2	S.Dak.	21.8	N.C.	22.8	Okla.	28.6	Mass.	1,297
3	Kans.	21.3	S.C.	22.1	R.I.	27.2	Alaska	1,253
4	Idaho	20.8	Oregon	20.6	Miss.	25.1	Ala.	1,151
5	Mont.	19.7	Pa.	19.6	W.Va.	25.0	N.H.	1,125
	U.S.	10.7	U.S.	17.7	U.S.	15.7	U.S.	$ 742
47	Ky.	6.8	Okla.	11.7	Mont.	8.6	S.C.	456
48	Ala.	6.7	Alaska	11.5	Mich.	8.3	Oregon	445
49	Hawaii	6.4	N.Y.	11.5	Oregon	7.2	D.C.	405
50	S.C.	6.0	W.Va.	9.9	Conn.	7.1	Fla.	317
51	N.C.	5.5	Nevada	9.1	D.C.	3.2	Md.	282

	(14) Type of case service			
Rank	State	Restoration (physical and mental)	State	Training, total
1	W.Va.	87.6	Utah	82.0
2	Ala.	70.1	S.Dak.	81.4
3	P.R.	70.0	Nevada	79.0
4	Ky.	69.8	Ariz.	78.1
5	Ga.	68.1	Wash.	78.0
	U.S.	49.3	U.S.	48.7
47	Ind.	22.4	R.I.	31.8
48	Iowa	20.3	Ga.	28.0
49	Wash.	19.8	Pa.	27.7
50	Minn.	15.1	W.Va.	24.1
51	N.Y.	14.2	Ky.	17.3

a/ Excludes Virgin Islands, Guam, and New Jersey. Includes District of Columbia and Puerto Rico.

b/ "Average cost" is the cost per rehabilitated person receiving case services paid for by the State vocational rehabilitation agency. Some services were obtained free or were paid for, wholly or in part, by other organizations or individuals or by the client. The cost of administration, guidance, counseling, and placement is excluded.

Table 20A.--Selected characteristics of rehabilitated persons, by State, Fiscal Year 1971

(Percentages are based on the number of cases for which major disabling condition was reported on computer tabulations of Case Service Report, Form RSA-300.)

State	Total[a] rehabilitations (1)	Percent with selected major disabling condition[b]								State
		Blindness (2)	Other visual impairments (3)	Deafness (4)	Other hearing impairments (5)	Mental Illness Total[c] (6)	Mental Illness Alcoholism (7)	Mental Illness Drug addiction (8)	Mental retardation (9)	
Total	291,272	2.7	5.9	2.1	3.1	27.1	5.1	0.6	11.3	Total
Alabama	6,877	2.5	5.4	1.6	2.1	14.9	2.6	0.2	10.1	Alabama
Alaska	389	1.0	6.0	1.6	2.6	31.5	6.8	--	6.3	Alaska
Arizona	1,841	2.3	2.2	2.0	2.1	46.1	4.9	1.3	13.1	Arizona
Arkansas	5,804	4.5	2.7	1.6	2.2	25.8	9.4	0.2	5.2	Arkansas
California	14,430	2.5	2.8	2.6	1.3	46.1	20.0	1.6	7.9	California
Colorado	2,967	1.8	5.3	2.0	2.1	35.9	8.5	0.7	14.5	Colorado
Connecticut	2,425	3.5	2.0	3.3	2.8	49.4	5.3	4.1	14.0	Connecticut
Delaware	716	3.2	5.1	1.1	3.1	25.8	2.5	1.0	5.3	Delaware
Dist. of Columbia	3,432	1.2	6.4	2.4	1.2	51.5	7.9	2.8	6.2	Dist. of Col.
Florida	12,277	1.9	7.2	1.6	1.5	26.2	3.0	0.2	10.4	Florida
Georgia	11,512	2.5	7.0	1.2	1.9	21.3	2.4	0.2	10.2	Georgia
Guam	135	2.3	3.9	0.8	7.0	13.2	1.6	--	25.6	Guam
Hawaii	746	4.9	9.1	1.4	1.4	22.4	0.7	1.4	19.6	Hawaii
Idaho	890	2.9	7.1	3.5	1.6	5.2	0.3	--	4.9	Idaho
Illinois	14,001	2.0	6.5	2.8	4.4	19.0	0.7	0.1	8.9	Illinois
Indiana	2,714	1.6	7.1	3.5	4.3	5.8	0.1	0.1	15.0	Indiana
Iowa	3,979	2.0	4.3	2.3	1.8	34.9	5.5	0.1	14.0	Iowa
Kansas	1,555	3.6	2.8	2.1	3.7	34.9	8.0	0.3	13.4	Kansas
Kentucky	9,832	0.9	5.7	0.9	2.8	24.6	4.3	0.4	5.7	Kentucky
Louisiana	5,431	3.0	5.2	1.6	20.4	17.0	1.8	0.2	9.7	Louisiana
Maine	846	6.0	12.0	4.8	2.8	20.1	2.7	--	8.5	Maine
Maryland	8,014	1.4	4.7	1.8	1.9	34.7	7.8	1.3	11.8	Maryland
Massachusetts	4,475	4.4	3.1	4.6	4.8	30.7	3.1	0.3	13.2	Massachusetts
Michigan	9,810	3.0	5.6	4.6	3.8	17.2	1.2	0.9	15.1	Michigan
Minnesota	4,833	4.3	2.5	1.9	1.3	31.9	5.5	0.5	18.1	Minnesota
Mississippi	5,079	4.1	9.0	1.6	1.9	9.9	0.9	0.1	16.1	Mississippi
Missouri	7,057	3.4	8.7	2.6	6.9	22.9	5.3	0.3	19.0	Missouri
Montana	1,069	2.4	7.0	3.7	3.8	20.2	9.8	0.2	7.6	Montana
Nebraska	1,559	3.8	6.3	2.2	1.6	33.4	2.2	0.1	16.5	Nebraska
Nevada	520	8.2	10.1	1.7	2.5	28.5	1.2	0.4	4.5	Nevada
New Hampshire	588	8.0	2.4	3.5	0.5	34.5	5.9	0.2	13.9	New Hampshire
New Jersey[d]	8,744	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	New Jersey
New Mexico	1,099	4.2	4.7	2.5	2.7	17.1	5.5	0.9	11.5	New Mexico
New York	11,405	6.5	2.0	3.4	2.3	23.5	1.2	2.0	14.4	New York
North Carolina	13,144	2.0	6.1	1.7	2.0	24.5	8.2	0.2	14.6	North Carolina
North Dakota	1,213	1.2	1.4	1.3	1.8	58.3	11.3	0.2	7.8	North Dakota
Ohio	8,038	4.4	3.4	4.3	3.0	33.1	3.0	0.5	13.0	Ohio
Oklahoma	7,051	2.5	4.7	1.4	1.3	23.8	2.3	0.2	4.7	Oklahoma
Oregon	1,700	3.4	4.6	2.6	2.2	19.4	1.2	0.3	10.2	Oregon
Pennsylvania	20,064	1.9	9.7	1.2	6.9	22.6	3.2	0.3	8.7	Pennsylvania
Puerto Rico	2,892	3.2	19.3	3.9	1.8	17.2	0.2	1.0	9.3	Puerto Rico
Rhode Island	1,611	5.0	2.9	6.0	3.3	40.1	0.9	0.7	7.1	Rhode Island
South Carolina	9,688	*	4.1	1.3	2.2	24.2	4.5	0.2	17.8	South Carolina
South Dakota	859	1.0	6.0	4.4	3.0	27.0	2.2	0.2	8.7	South Dakota
Tennessee	6,641	*	4.8	1.6	3.2	16.9	3.4	0.1	11.1	Tennessee
Texas	17,905	3.1	10.6	2.1	2.0	33.2	8.5	1.2	11.7	Texas
Utah	2,731	2.3	2.3	2.2	1.5	50.8	4.8	0.4	10.4	Utah
Vermont	523	1.4	3.0	1.6	2.8	24.2	0.9	0.2	10.6	Vermont
Virginia	11,042	2.1	4.4	1.1	1.5	25.2	1.8	0.3	14.7	Virginia
Virgin Islands	87	--	6.8	--	2.3	4.5	--	--	4.5	Virgin Islands
Washington	3,242	3.7	4.1	3.6	0.9	36.6	2.7	0.2	10.8	Washington
West Virginia	6,539	3.1	9.0	1.6	4.1	10.0	0.9	0.1	4.7	West Virginia
Wisconsin	9,284	1.0	2.2	1.8	3.1	41.8	9.8	0.1	12.0	Wisconsin
Wyoming	467	1.1	5.4	0.7	2.2	35.5	5.4	1.4	6.5	Wyoming

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Table 20B.--Selected characteristics of rehabilitated persons, by State, Fiscal Year 1971

(Percentages are based on the number of cases for which major disabling condition was reported on computer tabulations of Case Service Report, Form RSA-300.)

State	Total rehabilitations[a] (1)	Percent with selected major disabling condition[b]: Heart disease (2)	Epilepsy (3)	Orthopedic impairments (4)	Absence of extremities (5)	Digestive system disorders (6)	Respiratory system conditions (7)	Genito-urinary system disorders (8)	State
Total	291,272	2.7	1.5	17.3	3.3	9.1	1.6	3.1	Total
Alabama	6,877	3.8	1.3	16.6	4.5	10.1	4.7	6.6	Alabama
Alaska	389	2.4	0.5	27.0	3.4	10.5	0.3	0.8	Alaska
Arizona	1,841	2.1	0.9	16.1	1.8	5.3	1.4	0.7	Arizona
Arkansas	5,804	2.1	1.1	16.6	2.3	9.3	1.5	11.0	Arkansas
California	14,430	2.2	1.1	22.7	1.5	2.4	1.2	0.4	California
Colorado	2,967	2.8	1.9	21.7	2.2	3.1	0.9	0.5	Colorado
Connecticut	2,425	1.7	1.7	12.2	2.7	0.8	1.4	0.2	Connecticut
Delaware	716	5.3	2.9	21.7	3.3	4.2	3.8	2.9	Delaware
Dist. of Columbia	3,432	1.9	0.8	8.6	1.0	5.8	1.6	0.7	Dist. of Columbia
Florida	12,277	2.9	1.4	17.4	1.9	11.1	2.9	4.0	Florida
Georgia	11,512	1.9	0.9	12.5	3.0	15.5	0.9	8.3	Georgia
Guam	135	3.1	0.8	5.4	2.3	0.8	24.0	0.8	Guam
Hawaii	746	2.8	--	19.6	2.1	4.9	0.7	0.7	Hawaii
Idaho	890	7.9	2.5	39.0	2.5	9.5	1.0	2.2	Idaho
Illinois	14,001	2.7	1.6	14.9	3.4	24.2	1.5	2.0	Illinois
Indiana	2,714	4.7	5.0	27.5	11.1	0.7	1.2	1.1	Indiana
Iowa	3,979	3.1	2.8	20.4	2.9	1.5	1.0	0.5	Iowa
Kansas	1,555	2.3	1.4	23.0	4.0	2.7	0.7	0.1	Kansas
Kentucky	9,832	2.6	0.9	1 .8	2.7	11.0	1.9	6.9	Kentucky
Louisiana	5,431	2.9	1.3	21.2	4.3	2.4	2.9	0.4	Louisiana
Maine	846	3.3	1.6	17.7	6.0	9.6	0.8	0.7	Maine
Maryland	8,014	2.7	1.9	13.5	4.3	9.9	2.0	2.2	Maryland
Massachusetts	4,475	5.1	3.4	16.1	3.9	1.3	1.0	1.4	Massachusetts
Michigan	9,810	2.9	3.0	23.7	5.1	6.1	1.0	0.8	Michigan
Minnesota	4,833	2.9	2.9	21.7	2.0	0.5	0.7	1.7	Minnesota
Mississippi	5,079	1.6	0.3	15.0	4.4	8.0	1.7	7.3	Mississippi
Missouri	7,057	1.9	1.6	13.8	5.4	5.0	1.8	0.6	Missouri
Montana	1,069	4.7	2.0	34.3	3.2	1.2	0.4	0.8	Montana
Nebraska	1,559	2.4	2.2	19.0	2.7	1.8	0.7	0.5	Nebraska
Nevada	520	2.3	0.2	21.0	3.3	9.9	1.0	0.4	Nevada
New Hampshire	588	4.7	2.1	20.8	1.7	1.9	0.9	0.9	New Hampshire
New Jersey[d]	8,744	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	New Jersey
New Mexico	1,099	2.6	2.1	30.5	3.4	7.5	2.2	1.5	New Mexico
New York	11,405	4.8	3.5	23.9	4.6	0.7	1.5	0.3	New York
North Carolina	13,144	1.8	0.7	12.3	2.4	12.7	2.9	7.3	North Carolina
North Dakota	1,213	2.7	1.8	13.9	2.1	2.4	--	0.3	North Dakota
Ohio	8,038	2.6	2.4	17.5	6.5	2.3	0.7	0.5	Ohio
Oklahoma	7,051	1.6	0.8	18.9	1.8	26.4	1.2	1.8	Oklahoma
Oregon	1,700	2.0	1.7	36.5	3.6	5.0	1.0	0.5	Oregon
Pennsylvania	20,064	3.1	1.3	19.1	5.3	13.4	0.8	0.5	Pennsylvania
Puerto Rico	2,892	1.5	2.5	20.8	3.2	3.0	4.7	0.4	Puerto Rico
Rhode Island	1,611	4.0	2.0	15.2	2.8	2.6	0.6	0.6	Rhode Island
South Carolina	9,688	2.7	0.9	12.2	2.5	10.7	1.7	7.0	South Carolina
South Dakota	859	3.3	3.4	23.5	3.2	3.9	1.7	0.5	South Dakota
Tennessee	6,641	2.9	0.9	17.7	3.3	15.1	1.4	6.3	Tennessee
Texas	17,905	1.5	1.0	12.6	2.5	7.6	1.7	3.1	Texas
Utah	2,231	2.0	1.2	18.1	1.1	2.0	0.8	0.2	Utah
Vermont	523	7.3	2.1	16.8	2.2	15.7	2.0	0.8	Vermont
Virginia	11,042	1.8	1.2	13.1	1.9	13.5	1.6	5.7	Virginia
Virgin Islands	87	2.3	6.8	15.9	6.8	15.9	11.4	2.3	Virgin Islands
Washington	3,242	1.9	2.1	25.2	2.1	1.8	0.9	0.9	Washington
West Virginia	6,539	2.8	1.1	14.3	3.1	26.4	1.3	7.3	West Virginia
Wisconsin	9,284	3.6	2.1	19.3	2.5	0.9	1.2	0.2	Wisconsin
Wyoming	467	2.9	3.6	23.7	3.6	5.7	0.4	1.8	Wyoming

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Table 20C.--Selected characteristics of rehabilitated persons, by State, Fiscal Year 1971
(Percentages are based on total number of clients reporting specific items in each State as shown on computer tabulations of Case Service Report, Form RSA-300.)

State	Total rehabilitations[a/] (1)	Age at referral: Percent less than 20 (2)	Age at referral: Percent 45 and over (3)	Age at referral: Average (years) (4)	Percent male (5)	Percent with dependents (6)	Percent with income less than $300[a/] (7)	Percent Negro and other minority races (8)	State
Total	291,272	23.4	26.3	33	55.3	39.1	61.6	22.2	Total
Alabama	6,877	20.1	31.1	35	49.6	40.5	83.8	35.6	Alabama
Alaska	389	15.3	19.9	33	55.4	43.4	58.9	37.1	Alaska
Arizona	1,841	27.4	19.4	31	55.5	49.1	65.2	10.5	Arizona
Arkansas	5,804	19.1	30.9	36	49.4	40.0	66.1	22.2	Arkansas
California	14,430	13.4	24.2	34	69.0	52.2	62.8	25.1	California
Colorado	2,967	28.5	15.8	30	64.3	36.6	63.3	6.2	Colorado
Connecticut	2,425	34.8	18.2	29	60.8	25.4	32.5	15.2	Connecticut
Delaware	716	23.8	30.6	25	49.5	33.3	61.8	29.9	Delaware
District of Columbia	3,432	17.3	20.0	31	55.9	41.9	82.2	87.2	Dist. of Col.
Florida	12,277	23.9	26.3	33	49.8	46.4	69.7	31.4	Florida
Georgia	11,512	19.3	29.5	35	45.1	44.2	64.6	36.3	Georgia
Guam	135	33.3	25.0	30	64.4	36.8	57.7	97.7	Guam
Hawaii	746	31.9	22.9	30	53.8	16.6	53.8	79.3	Hawaii
Idaho	890	27.2	16.1	30	62.6	49.6	46.6	1.8	Idaho
Illinois	14,001	22.9	27.6	34	54.2	36.9	41.4	15.7	Illinois
Indiana	2,714	48.2	15.4	27	63.3	24.3	26.5	8.4	Indiana
Iowa	3,979	41.0	14.3	28	65.3	33.9	55.4	3.7	Iowa
Kansas	1,555	27.4	18.5	30	64.7	41.1	60.8	7.8	Kansas
Kentucky	9,832	16.0	30.1	36	45.7	38.3	76.2	11.6	Kentucky
Louisiana	5,431	34.7	26.0	33	57.4	32.1	58.2	25.4	Louisiana
Maine	846	26.0	28.8	34	59.3	39.4	54.9	0.7	Maine
Maryland	8,014	24.8	24.6	33	56.3	36.8	57.1	34.9	Maryland
Massachusetts	4,475	30.7	22.1	31	61.5	24.7	43.5	5.0	Massachusetts
Michigan	9,810	32.9	16.3	29	60.0	36.6	42.4	23.5	Michigan
Minnesota	4,833	15.7	22.7	32	62.8	30.6	53.5	3.0	Minnesota
Mississippi	5,079	15.5	29.3	34	51.2	38.6	68.1	36.4	Mississippi
Missouri	7,057	29.2	26.1	33	55.8	31.3	57.9	19.8	Missouri
Montana	1,069	25.9	22.2	34	70.1	41.4	61.2	7.1	Montana
Nebraska	1,559	38.4	17.6	29	61.4	27.7	51.0	5.5	Nebraska
Nevada	520	11.1	36.3	38	48.7	43.0	60.7	20.8	Nevada
New Hampshire	588	28.5	21.6	32	64.7	35.5	53.2	0.7	New Hampshire
New Jersey[b/]	8,744	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	New Jersey
New Mexico	1,099	23.0	19.2	31	65.7	45.3	70.2	7.0	New Mexico
New York	11,405	32.2	23.2	31	57.3	32.0	42.8	16.4	New York
North Carolina	13,144	24.4	29.3	34	51.2	38.6	68.1	36.4	North Carolina
North Dakota	1,213	20.3	27.6	35	65.7	36.6	48.1	7.0	North Dakota
Ohio	8,038	26.8	19.5	31	61.1	38.9	60.6	21.3	Ohio
Oklahoma	7,051	23.3	24.5	33	43.3	39.9	70.5	18.9	Oklahoma
Oregon	1,700	8.1	24.7	34	65.8	50.9	63.9	6.2	Oregon
Pennsylvania	20,064	23.2	32.7	36	55.6	34.2	47.8	10.2	Pennsylvania
Puerto Rico	2,892	24.5	29.7	34	56.0	51.1	85.2	9.0	Puerto Rico
Rhode Island	1,611	39.7	23.9	31	49.8	22.6	38.6	4.3	Rhode Island
South Carolina	9,688	21.2	28.3	34	52.6	48.7	75.5	42.0	South Carolina
South Dakota	859	10.0	21.4	32	57.9	28.8	38.0	5.0	South Dakota
Tennessee	6,641	22.1	28.3	34	50.0	37.6	77.4	25.0	Tennessee
Texas	17,905	13.7	30.6	36	56.4	40.4	70.2	18.7	Texas
Utah	2,231	29.4	10.2	27	60.2	44.0	61.4	6.3	Utah
Vermont	523	17.6	29.2	35	56.7	38.0	66.2	0.2	Vermont
Virginia	11,042	31.1	23.5	32	51.7	31.0	64.7	36.8	Virginia
Virgin Islands	87	4.3	21.7	36	52.0	85.4	48.6	95.9	Virgin Islands
Washington	3,242	24.3	15.7	30	65.7	41.3	63.9	8.1	Washington
West Virginia	6,539	12.9	38.0	39	42.2	42.2	69.8	7.3	West Virginia
Wisconsin	9,284	27.4	26.6	33	64.6	47.6	52.1	8.4	Wisconsin
Wyoming	467	27.2	21.9	31	57.3	41.9	64.4	2.5	Wyoming

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Table 20D.--Selected characteristics of rehabilitated persons, by State, Fiscal Year 1971

(Percentages are based on total number of clients reporting specific items in each State as shown on computer tabulations of Case Service Report, Form RSA-300)

State	Total rehabilitations[1]/ (1)	Mean no. of grades completed (2)	Mean family size (3)	Work status: At referral: Competitive labor market (4)	Work status: At referral: Self-employed (5)	Work status: At referral: Not working (6)	Work status: At closure: Competitive labor market (7)	With earnings: At referral (8)	With earnings: At closure (9)	State
Total	291,272	9.9	3.6	18.8	1.2	72.4	74.9	22.1	81.8	Total
Alabama	6,877	8.7	3.6	15.0	1.6	73.1	69.9	16.3	77.1	Alabama
Alaska	389	10.6	3.0	16.7	1.3	76.5	76.9	21.2	84.2	Alaska
Arizona	1,841	10.2	3.9	12.4	0.8	84.9	88.2	26.3	88.4	Arizona
Arkansas	5,804	9.4	3.6	18.6	2.2	65.2	68.1	21.6	73.5	Arkansas
California	14,430	11.2	2.7	16.4	0.7	79.3	82.7	18.8	90.4	California
Colorado	2,967	11.0	3.6	10.9	0.7	85.5	83.0	14.5	90.1	Colorado
Connecticut	2,425	10.6	3.7	15.4	0.2	80.5	80.5	16.9	92.5	Connecticut
Delaware	716	9.9	3.5	18.4	1.0	71.5	77.1	24.2	82.5	Delaware
Dist. of Columbia	3,432	10.1	2.8	16.0	0.5	81.0	94.9	20.6	96.6	Dist. of Columbia
Florida	12,277	9.7	3.6	24.4	1.1	69.9	83.0	28.4	88.0	Florida
Georgia	11,512	9.1	3.7	27.4	0.9	61.1	75.4	29.3	79.3	Georgia
Guam	135	8.4	5.9	14.1	0.8	76.6	58.4	27.2	84.5	Guam
Hawaii	746	10.1	3.6	14.0	--	79.7	73.6	17.5	85.4	Hawaii
Idaho	890	11.1	3.8	24.2	2.3	66.6	82.9	32.6	87.8	Idaho
Illinois	14,001	10.2	3.6	34.3	1.7	57.0	75.4	37.9	80.5	Illinois
Indiana	2,714	10.8	4.1	13.4	1.6	75.9	73.0	22.4	86.4	Indiana
Iowa	3,979	11.0	3.8	13.9	1.4	81.5	81.0	18.5	88.2	Iowa
Kansas	1,555	11.0	3.3	16.4	0.9	80.3	85.2	19.1	89.9	Kansas
Kentucky	9,832	8.8	3.8	8.6	0.8	77.2	56.7	12.8	61.9	Kentucky
Louisiana	5,431	10.1	3.7	18.6	1.4	69.9	73.7	20.5	78.8	Louisiana
Maine	846	10.1	3.6	18.2	2.8	70.0	69.9	25.9	77.9	Maine
Maryland	8,014	9.8	3.2	16.8	0.8	75.5	78.6	20.1	85.7	Maryland
Massachusetts	4,475	11.0	3.5	16.3	0.5	78.1	78.6	19.3	87.1	Massachusetts
Michigan	9,810	10.7	3.6	18.6	0.8	74.9	82.5	24.6	91.3	Michigan
Minnesota	4,833	11.0	3.8	12.0	1.3	81.7	75.3	15.9	85.6	Minnesota
Mississippi	5,079	8.4	3.9	15.1	2.6	67.9	*	17.9	71.0	Mississippi
Missouri	7,057	10.1	3.4	17.1	1.7	71.4	74.2	20.7	84.3	Missouri
Montana	1,069	11.0	3.4	19.4	0.9	75.8	88.7	23.8	91.6	Montana
Nebraska	1,559	11.2	3.7	13.0	1.1	80.8	78.3	16.1	86.6	Nebraska
Nevada	520	10.4	2.7	21.7	0.8	74.4	82.1	24.8	88.1	Nevada
New Hampshire	588	10.4	3.3	19.8	1.3	75.0	84.1	29.3	93.2	New Hampshire
New Jersey[2]/	8,744	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	New Jersey
New Mexico	1,099	10.2	3.9	18.1	0.9	72.9	79.3	21.8	78.8	New Mexico
New York	11,405	10.7	3.2	11.8	0.7	82.1	68.4	15.9	80.7	New York
North Carolina	13,144	8.9	3.7	19.3	1.0	71.5	72.8	21.6	79.8	North Carolina
North Dakota	1,213	10.4	3.7	22.8	5.8	64.2	69.9	29.1	77.7	North Dakota
Ohio	8,038	10.7	3.5	15.3	0.7	79.6	74.5	18.6	83.9	Ohio
Oklahoma	7,051	10.3	3.6	20.7	0.8	59.9	67.8	23.4	71.3	Oklahoma
Oregon	1,700	10.6	4.3	14.4	0.8	81.6	84.4	20.6	89.4	Oregon
Pennsylvania	20,064	10.4	3.4	26.6	0.9	64.5	74.6	28.8	80.8	Pennsylvania
Puerto Rico	2,892	7.8	4.8	28.2	4.5	50.4	58.0	31.1	70.4	Puerto Rico
Rhode Island	1,611	10.1	3.7	14.1	0.3	83.5	66.3	16.3	68.2	Rhode Island
South Carolina	9,688	8.7	3.9	19.4	0.9	73.7	82.5	21.8	85.8	South Carolina
South Dakota	859	11.3	4.2	15.8	1.5	79.5	72.1	*	89.6	South Dakota
Tennessee	6,641	9.0	3.8	14.6	1.1	74.0	73.1	16.7	80.0	Tennessee
Texas	17,905	9.1	3.7	17.5	1.0	75.8	77.8	20.1	83.7	Texas
Utah	2,231	11.2	3.7	19.6	0.4	73.0	84.2	22.8	85.7	Utah
Vermont	523	9.8	3.6	15.2	8.0	65.6	56.5	22.9	52.8	Vermont
Virginia	11,042	8.9	3.9	11.9	0.5	81.1	79.3	14.2	79.4	Virginia
Virgin Islands	87	7.2	4.1	54.2	4.2	22.9	67.4	71.8	76.7	Virgin Islands
Washington	3,242	11.0	3.1	11.0	0.8	83.7	77.2	17.6	89.6	Washington
West Virginia	6,539	9.2	3.4	35.2	1.3	45.5	69.6	38.1	73.2	West Virginia
Wisconsin	9,284	10.7	3.5	15.3	1.2	75.6	69.0	20.9	82.5	Wisconsin
Wyoming	467	11.1	3.1	18.3	1.8	74.2	76.6	21.3	83.5	Wyoming

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Table 20K.--Selected characteristics of rehabilitated persons, by State, Fiscal Year 1971

(Percentages are based on total number of clients reporting specific items in each State as shown on computer tabulations of Case Service Report, Form RSA-300)

State	Total rehabilitations[a/] (1)	Average weekly earnings[f/] At referral (2)	Average weekly earnings[f/] At closure (3)	Public assistance recipients At referral (4)	Public assistance recipients At closure (5)	Annual rate of support ($000) At referral (6)	Annual rate of support ($000) At closure (7)	Length of time on public assistance rolls[g/] Less than 1 year (8)	Length of time on public assistance rolls[g/] 3 or more years (9)	State
Total	291,272	$14.44	$ 64.49	12.4	7.3	$50,825	$29,010	47.4	26.6	Total
Alabama	6,877	6.98	47.15	11.6	7.5	610	555	40.4	30.6	Alabama
Alaska	389	20.31	108.70	20.9	12.0	181	121	50.0	25.0	Alaska
Arizona	1,841	15.75	74.26	17.3	5.4	427	170	46.5	24.3	Arizona
Arkansas	5,804	14.23	54.30	7.1	5.7	361	301	30.5	40.7	Arkansas
California	14,430	21.20	94.02	23.6	14.0	5,510	3,523	62.3	11.7	California
Colorado	2,967	9.86	77.20	17.2	9.3	912	403	56.7	15.5	Colorado
Connecticut	2,625	15.00	78.62	9.9	4.1	503	188	51.5	20.1	Connecticut
Delaware	716	14.01	62.86	21.0	13.9	193	127	55.1	19.2	Delaware
Dist. of Col.	3,432	14.38	85.79	7.0	2.1	363	114	52.5	21.6	Dist. of Col.
Florida	12,277	15.90	64.11	14.9	9.3	2,220	1,303	44.2	28.1	Florida
Georgia	11,512	16.65	56.86	11.5	8.7	1,579	1,140	46.5	22.8	Georgia
Guam	155	20.46	62.10	*	3.1	*	19	*	*	Guam
Hawaii	746	9.81	71.88	18.1	11.0	43	22	50.0	22.2	Hawaii
Idaho	890	24.25	85.99	17.1	8.4	302	126	50.0	16.7	Idaho
Illinois	14,001	23.95	65.18	9.0	5.3	1,785	1,045	51.6	25.7	Illinois
Indiana	2,714	17.10	74.62	4.3	3.5	133	113	42.3	25.0	Indiana
Iowa	3,979	11.57	75.64	11.0	4.2	476	301	49.0	19.3	Iowa
Kansas	1,555	12.38	75.11	16.0	4.8	322	113	62.3	16.6	Kansas
Kentucky	9,832	7.55	64.02	18.0	11.8	1,946	1,333	40.2	31.1	Kentucky
Louisiana	5,431	13.90	65.36	12.2	7.9	672	418	33.1	43.3	Louisiana
Maine	846	17.09	60.43	*	10.0	*	111	*	*	Maine
Maryland	8,014	15.20	70.47	12.2	5.4	1,130	498	39.1	27.0	Maryland
Massachusetts	4,475	15.35	78.53	11.5	3.6	1,014	321	46.7	22.1	Massachusetts
Michigan	9,810	19.41	83.23	14.8	6.9	1,849	821	48.9	19.4	Michigan
Minnesota	4,833	11.92	71.65	13.2	9.1	1,481	1,055	81.6	8.5	Minnesota
Mississippi	5,079	8.39	42.98	10.9	9.0	370	317	26.0	41.7	Mississippi
Missouri	7,057	12.57	61.03	12.8	10.0	817	634	34.2	41.0	Missouri
Montana	1,069	16.98	97.00	10.4	3.9	177	52	54.8	17.8	Montana
Nebraska	1,559	10.07	72.99	11.3	7.4	218	144	40.2	24.7	Nebraska
Nevada	520	19.18	83.41	15.0	9.3	103	56	64.4	17.8	Nevada
New Hampshire	588	20.96	72.33	10.8	4.6	83	48	46.7	33.3	New Hampshire
New Jersey[d/]	8,744	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	New Jersey
New Mexico	1,099	12.49	55.97	17.9	10.7	246	151	45.5	22.7	New Mexico
New York	11,405	11.77	69.34	15.5	12.1	3,252	1,821	36.5	32.5	New York
North Carolina	13,144	10.40	52.75	8.0	4.3	1,288	678	39.3	34.3	North Carolina
North Dakota	1,213	26.38	70.00	9.4	6.9	242	172	52.7	33.0	North Dakota
Ohio	8,038	13.98	71.17	10.6	6.4	1,297	723	50.6	20.8	Ohio
Oklahoma	7,051	11.58	55.85	23.7	19.7	2,803	2,328	35.4	43.7	Oklahoma
Oregon	1,700	14.79	84.62	19.8	12.6	619	241	67.6	14.3	Oregon
Pennsylvania	20,064	21.43	65.62	13.6	6.5	4,924	2,124	50.6	27.4	Pennsylvania
Puerto Rico	2,892	16.62	43.10	8.4	4.8	122	118	20.4	28.0	Puerto Rico
Rhode Island	1,611	11.64	59.82	13.5	9.2	346	221	37.0	37.0	Rhode Island
South Carolina	9,688	11.29	57.31	3.6	1.5	310	136	47.1	22.5	South Carolina
South Dakota	859	*	80.49	11.4	6.3	264	125	*	*	South Dakota
Tennessee	6,641	7.52	53.29	11.2	9.1	833	696	28.6	43.5	Tennessee
Texas	17,905	11.78	60.87	7.0	5.4	1,567	1,168	42.5	26.3	Texas
Utah	2,231	15.42	80.50	23.4	4.3	1,445	123	60.0	16.7	Utah
Vermont	523	13.40	39.32	22.4	14.6	281	236	55.4	15.2	Vermont
Virginia	11,042	7.11	54.26	8.0	4.3	1,495	850	49.7	23.3	Virginia
Virgin Islands	87	54.33	53.28	*	16.3	*	8	*	*	Virgin Islands
Washington	3,242	13.64	84.19	26.6	8.4	905	239	63.1	16.4	Washington
West Virginia	6,539	20.35	45.06	11.7	6.4	365	227	40.5	32.4	West Virginia
Wisconsin	9,284	15.88	67.96	10.4	7.2	1,689	1,057	41.8	29.2	Wisconsin
Wyoming	467	13.96	71.48	11.8	5.4	57	23	48.1	22.2	Wyoming

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Table 20F.--Selected characteristics of rehabilitated persons, by State, Fiscal Year 1971

(Percentages are based on total number of clients reporting specific items in each State as shown on computer tabulations of Case Service Report, Form RSA-300.)

State	Total rehabilitations[a] (1)	Primary source of support[b] public institutions (2)	SSDI status at closure: Applicants (3)	SSDI status at closure: Beneficiaries (4)	Mean number of months in: Referred statuses (5)	Mean number of months in: Active caseload (6)	Previously rehabilitated[b] (7)	State
Total	291,272	10.4	9.9	5.7	3.7	15.1	6.3	Total
Alabama	6,877	6.7	12.3	7.0	2.4	15.2	*	Alabama
Alaska	389	9.8	20.2	7.9	3.2	13.0	6.0	Alaska
Arizona	1,841	4.2	7.4	4.4	4.3	13.5	3.3	Arizona
Arkansas	5,804	9.1	6.1	4.3	1.7	15.6	7.5	Arkansas
California	14,430	8.9	11.0	6.2	2.3	17.5	--	California
Colorado	2,967	14.9	7.6	3.4	3.4	13.5	7.5	Colorado
Connecticut	2,425	10.5	7.3	5.1	3.1	16.6	7.6	Connecticut
Delaware	716	10.0	14.2	11.1	2.5	18.9	5.4	Delaware
Dist. of Columbia	3,432	29.2	3.6	2.4	1.5	8.2	6.9	Dist. of Columbia
Florida	12,277	5.2	12.7	4.8	4.7	13.8	7.9	Florida
Georgia	11,512	5.5	6.6	3.7	5.9	*	5.8	Georgia
Guam	135	3.1	5.3	3.1	4.0	15.0	3.3	Guam
Hawaii	746	13.4	23.6	15.3	3.7	18.5	3.5	Hawaii
Idaho	890	2.4	8.9	6.1	3.0	15.8	3.2	Idaho
Illinois	14,001	3.9	10.7	7.1	4.1	10.7	6.2	Illinois
Indiana	2,714	1.9	13.4	7.0	3.4	23.8	4.1	Indiana
Iowa	3,979	16.7	12.1	6.9	4.3	20.0	6.9	Iowa
Kansas	1,555	10.4	11.9	6.3	2.6	13.5	6.2	Kansas
Kentucky	9,832	17.1	5.6	3.1	1.5	10.2	6.3	Kentucky
Louisiana	5,431	8.1	6.0	3.8	2.1	19.2	4.9	Louisiana
Maine	846	12.9	14.1	10.6	4.7	14.8	4.4	Maine
Maryland	8,014	22.8	6.6	4.0	2.9	10.4	9.7	Maryland
Massachusetts	4,475	13.5	6.9	4.7	3.6	15.9	4.2	Massachusetts
Michigan	9,810	5.5	11.6	6.5	--	--	6.0	Michigan
Minnesota	4,833	14.7	12.2	8.3	5.4	21.5	6.4	Minnesota
Mississippi	5,079	7.0	15.3	8.3	3.2	12.7	4.3	Mississippi
Missouri	7,057	14.5	11.8	6.2	3.4	18.3	7.5	Missouri
Montana	1,069	9.8	12.8	7.5	2.0	22.8	--	Montana
Nebraska	1,559	25.7	10.6	7.5	3.4	20.2	5.2	Nebraska
Nevada	520	14.2	17.7	10.5	2.6	11.9	6.4	Nevada
New Hampshire	588	25.4	14.3	9.7	4.9	14.9	4.7	New Hampshire
New Jersey[c]	8,744	--	--	--	--	--	--	New Jersey
New Mexico	1,049	4.2	12.3	9.3	4.0	11.3	3.8	New Mexico
New York	11,405	6.6	16.4	10.2	3.9	19.2	6.3	New York
North Carolina	13,144	12.2	5.3	3.5	3.4	10.6	5.6	North Carolina
North Dakota	1,213	6.9	12.3	6.7	3.5	16.6	6.1	North Dakota
Ohio	8,038	15.9	14.2	8.1	3.7	11.7	7.4	Ohio
Oklahoma	7,051	10.2	7.7	4.2	2.8	19.7	3.6	Oklahoma
Oregon	1,700	7.7	12.4	7.7	3.2	14.9	3.4	Oregon
Pennsylvania	20,064	5.9	10.8	6.3	3.4	14.7	7.4	Pennsylvania
Puerto Rico	2,892	1.8	3.8	2.8	7.9	26.2	1.1	Puerto Rico
Rhode Island	1,611	3.0	11.5	8.6	3.8	23.4	6.2	Rhode Island
South Carolina	9,688	8.3	7.7	3.9	4.4	12.8	5.7	South Carolina
South Dakota	859	20.4	15.0	6.2	4.1	22.1	6.1	South Dakota
Tennessee	6,641	8.0	9.6	4.5	2.9	15.3	6.5	Tennessee
Texas	17,905	17.1	9.1	5.1	3.6	10.6	5.2	Texas
Utah	2,231	7.3	6.4	4.0	2.5	18.5	3.7	Utah
Vermont	523	18.6	18.2	11.5	4.5	12.4	5.6	Vermont
Virginia	11,042	13.4	4.5	2.9	2.9	11.3	5.7	Virginia
Virgin Islands	87	--	76.6	10.6	3.3	--	9.8	Virgin Islands
Washington	3,242	10.9	8.2	4.9	4.4	15.4	4.0	Washington
West Virginia	6,539	3.9	6.9	5.4	3.0	11.6	6.3	West Virginia
Wisconsin	9,284	16.1	18.8	10.6	3.4	18.0	--	Wisconsin
Wyoming	467	23.1	7.9	5.0	3.2	15.2	5.1	Wyoming

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Table 20Q.--Selected characteristics of rehabilitated persons, by State, Fiscal Year 1971

(Percentages are based on total number of clients reporting specific items in each State as shown on computer tabulations of Case Service Report, Form RSA-300.)

State	Total rehabilitations[a] (1)	Occupation at closure			Case services			State
		Professional, technical, and managerial (2)	Homemakers (3)	Unskilled (4)	Percent receiving[b] Restoration (physical and mental) (5)	Training (6)	Average cost[c] (7)	
Total	291,272	10.7	15.8	17.7	49.3	48.7	$ 742	Total
Alabama	6,877	6.7	18.3	18.4	70.1	45.8	1,151	Alabama
Alaska	389	10.9	11.2	11.5	49.6	68.9	1,253	Alaska
Arizona	1,841	22.1	9.7	15.0	53.9	78.1	1,114	Arizona
Arkansas	5,804	9.5	23.8	17.4	63.5	48.6	906	Arkansas
California	14,430	12.9	8.7	16.9	37.6	73.0	676	California
Colorado	2,967	11.8	9.5	18.3	26.7	57.3	859	Colorado
Connecticut	2,425	11.1	7.1	18.8	47.5	61.8	883	Connecticut
Delaware	716	13.2	14.2	13.3	56.8	61.3	886	Delaware
Dist. of Columbia	3,432	8.6	3.2	13.6	32.3	41.7	405	Dist. of Columbia
Florida	12,277	9.3	9.3	15.5	49.7	46.2	317	Florida
Georgia	11,512	9.4	18.1	18.7	68.1	28.0	678	Georgia
Guam	135	11.0	11.0	17.3	25.8	62.9	967	Guam
Hawaii	746	6.4	11.3	19.9	35.4	59.0	889	Hawaii
Idaho	890	20.8	12.1	15.2	35.0	74.7	736	Idaho
Illinois	14,001	9.1	18.3	17.9	52.6	33.9	714	Illinois
Indiana	2,714	17.2	10.8	19.0	22.4	57.6	762	Indiana
Iowa	3,979	14.5	9.0	19.8	20.3	67.3	672	Iowa
Kansas	1,555	21.3	9.7	16.2	35.6	77.9	615	Kansas
Kentucky	9,832	6.8	32.8	14.0	69.8	17.1	529	Kentucky
Louisiana	5,431	14.9	16.8	13.7	40.3	59.6	767	Louisiana
Maine	846	14.8	22.4	17.4	66.6	53.0	947	Maine
Maryland	8,614	8.0	13.3	18.3	43.4	36.9	282	Maryland
Massachusetts	4,475	16.7	12.2	19.2	30.3	53.8	1,297	Massachusetts
Michigan	9,810	11.7	8.3	19.7	31.2	63.4	598	Michigan
Minnesota	4,833	10.6	8.6	17.5	15.1	68.6	963	Minnesota
Mississippi	5,079	7.8	25.1	15.5	60.6	36.2	758	Mississippi
Missouri	7,057	9.7	13.5	18.3	44.4	50.6	766	Missouri
Montana	1,069	19.7	8.6	14.7	26.5	68.9	740	Montana
Nebraska	1,559	14.8	10.3	17.1	23.0	75.8	837	Nebraska
Nevada	520	11.8	10.1	9.1	57.7	79.0	769	Nevada
New Hampshire	588	*	*	*	40.7	61.2	1,125	New Hampshire
New Jersey[d]	8,796	--	--	--	--	--	--	New Jersey
New Mexico	1,099	*	*	*	35.1	54.3	794	New Mexico
New York	11,405	12.3	17.8	11.5	14.2	69.4	1,653	New York
North Carolina	13,144	5.5	11.4	22.8	66.1	40.1	574	North Carolina
North Dakota	1,213	*	*	*	72.5	46.2	971	North Dakota
Ohio	8,038	10.4	14.3	19.4	25.3	54.3	740	Ohio
Oklahoma	7,051	12.4	28.6	11.7	63.1	57.0	541	Oklahoma
Oregon	1,780	14.0	7.2	20.6	31.7	70.4	445	Oregon
Pennsylvania	20,064	10.4	18.9	19.9	67.3	27.7	624	Pennsylvania
Puerto Rico	2,892	11.1	24.3	16.5	70.0	49.6	802	Puerto Rico
Rhode Island	1,611	16.1	27.2	12.4	52.8	31.8	755	Rhode Island
South Carolina	9,688	6.0	11.7	22.3	62.3	33.6	456	South Carolina
South Dakota	859	21.8	18.7	12.1	24.4	81.4	846	South Dakota
Tennessee	6,641	8.6	18.0	17.4	58.2	37.8	621	Tennessee
Texas	17,905	8.1	13.2	18.7	50.8	59.4	786	Texas
Utah	2,231	13.6	12.5	17.2	29.4	82.8	502	Utah
Vermont	523	*	*	*	47.9	32.6	859	Vermont
Virginia	11,042	16.4	18.3	17.6	49.1	47.3	615	Virginia
Virgin Islands	87	*	*	*	44.8	14.0	735	Virgin Islands
Washington	3,242	14.5	9.6	17.5	19.8	78.0	778	Washington
West Virginia	6,539	14.9	25.8	9.9	87.6	24.1	712	West Virginia
Wisconsin	9,284	9.2	10.2	22.8	25.6	72.1	938	Wisconsin
Wyoming	447	14.3	12.5	12.5	39.8	49.1	1,019	Wyoming

[a] From the Monthly Report of Cases Closed, Rehabilitated, Form RSA-105. Totals may differ from those appearing on tabulations of Case Service Report, Form RSA-300.
[b] Percentages will total less than 100 percent because not all major disabling conditions are shown.
[c] Includes psychotic and psychoneurotic disorders; alcoholism; drug addiction; and other character, personality and behavior disorders.
[d] Data from general agency not available. See Table 21 for data from the agency for the blind.
[e] Monthly family income at referral.
[f] Based on all persons reporting earnings status including those with no earnings.
[g] At referral.
[h] Within three years of most recent referral.
[i] With and without cost to State agencies.
[j] Cost per person receiving case services paid for by the State agency. The cost of administration, guidance, counseling and placement is excluded.
* Data incomplete or defective

Table 21A.--Selected characteristics of persons rehabilitated, by agencies for the blind, Fiscal Year 1971

(Percentages are based on total number of clients reporting specific items in each agency as shown on computer tabulations of Case Service Report, Form RSA-300)

Agency for the blind	Total rehabilitations[a] (1)	Major disabling condition[b]		Age at referral			Percent male (7)	Percent with dependents (8)	Percent with income less than $3600[c] (9)	Percent Negro and other minority races (10)	Agency for the blind
		Blindness (2)	Other visual impairments (3)	Percent less than 20 (4)	Percent 45 and over (5)	Average (years) (6)					
Total	10,194	53.2	46.5	13.4	32.3	43	49.9	38.6	63.4	21.3	Total
Arizona	50	85.7	14.2	16.3	69.4	47	51.0	51.0	66.0	8.2	Arizona
Arkansas	256	100.0	--	7.8	65.2	52	46.1	37.5	77.9	25.4	Arkansas
Connecticut	91	93.3	6.7	37.4	26.4	32	54.9	29.7	*	11.0	Connecticut
Delaware	32	71.8	28.1	12.5	25.0	35	65.6	31.3	56.3	25.0	Delaware
Idaho	25	87.0	13.0	4.3	34.8	40	73.9	91.3	42.1	*	Idaho
Indiana	52	100.0	--	28.2	17.9	31	65.0	24.4	*	2.4	Indiana
Iowa	108	71.2	28.7	15.7	27.8	37	58.3	38.9	36.1	4.7	Iowa
Kansas	102	58.1	41.9	18.8	39.6	38	65.6	46.9	32.6	13.5	Kansas
Louisiana	168	89.8	10.2	15.5	33.0	40	53.0	42.9	63.5	33.9	Louisiana
Maine	141	32.1	62.1	11.6	33.6	44	54.7	46.8	68.7	0.7	Maine
Massachusetts	213	96.0	4.0	14.9	44.3	42	54.5	25.7	*	3.4	Massachusetts
Michigan	225	86.4	13.1	16.0	35.4	38	48.5	37.6	59.0	16.1	Michigan
Minnesota	359	63.2	36.8	15.1	37.2	46	47.8	40.8	84.7	2.7	Minnesota
Mississippi	531	39.4	60.6	5.7	66.7	48	49.6	49.1	80.9	54.0	Mississippi
Missouri	295	63.5	36.5	8.6	64.0	48	34.6	36.9	66.0	13.2	Missouri
Montana	87	31.3	67.5	18.2	43.2	39	53.4	41.5	60.3	9.3	Montana
Nebraska	158	37.6	62.4	24.6	40.0	38	55.2	35.1	47.7	2.0	Nebraska
Nevada	62	67.8	32.2	6.8	61.0	49	44.1	42.4	52.6	11.9	Nevada
New Hampshire	50	93.9	6.1	14.0	44.0	43	54.0	56.0	48.0	--	New Hampshire
New Jersey	408	66.8	31.5	10.4	49.4	40	49.9	30.0	43.8	23.2	New Jersey
New Mexico	51	90.2	9.8	8.0	50.0	44	49.0	45.1	78.0	21.6	New Mexico
New York	863	98.4	1.6	16.6	52.7	42	49.2	49.4	67.1	19.5	New York
North Carolina	830	31.9	66.9	13.0	51.8	43	46.7	36.5	74.2	40.2	North Carolina
Ohio	364	98.6	1.4	17.4	45.9	41	53.8	44.2	63.3	13.3	Ohio
Oregon	65	76.1	23.8	16.7	42.4	39	62.5	32.9	*	6.0	Oregon
Pennsylvania	830	45.3	54.5	17.4	51.1	35	46.2	28.9	63.5	7.3	Pennsylvania
Rhode Island	92	95.2	4.8	18.6	64.0	46	45.3	35.6	51.7	5.7	Rhode Island
South Carolina*	144	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	South Carolina
South Dakota	85	14.0	86.0	46.6	22.4	30	60.3	17.2	55.0	10.3	South Dakota
Tennessee*	413	---	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	Tennessee
Texas	2,404	23.1	76.9	13.2	51.7	43	50.8	37.8	72.3	18.2	Texas
Vermont	19	55.0	45.0	10.0	35.0	44	70.0	60.0	82.4	--	Vermont
Virginia	505	48.5	51.2	5.2	64.9	48	46.6	39.4	29.6	40.8	Virginia
Washington	116	56.8	43.2	22.3	40.2	38	49.1	33.0	43.8	8.9	Washington

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Table 21B.--Selected characteristics of persons rehabilitated, by agencies for the blind, Fiscal Year 1971

(Percentages are based on total number of clients reporting specific items in each agency as shown on computer tabulations of Case Service Report, Form RSA-300)

Agency for the blind	Total rehabilitations[1] (1)	Mean no. of grades completed (2)	Mean family size (3)	Work status: At referral: Competitive labor market (4)	At referral: Self-employed (5)	At referral: Not working (6)	At closure: Competitive labor market (7)	With earnings: At referral (8)	With earnings: At closure (9)	Agency for the blind
Total----------	10,194	8.6	3.6	16.3	3.4	60.4	48.7	22.4	60.4	Total
Arizona----------	50	9.7	3.0	14.3	2.0	77.6	57.1	22.9	71.4	Arizona
Arkansas----------	256	8.0	2.9	10.5	5.0	66.0	34.6	17.0	52.4	Arkansas
Connecticut----------	91	10.6	3.3	5.6	2.2	84.4	55.3	11.5	83.5	Connecticut
Delaware----------	32	9.9	2.6	6.3	--	84.4	46.8	18.8	87.5	Delaware
Idaho----------	25	12.0	3.3	26.1	17.4	39.1	77.3	39.1	95.7	Idaho
Indiana----------	52	10.8	3.7	9.7	4.8	70.6	47.5	11.4	79.5	Indiana
Iowa----------	108	11.5	3.3	18.5	7.4	60.0	56.1	24.5	72.2	Iowa
Kansas----------	102	10.9	3.0	29.5	3.2	55.8	51.0	32.6	73.0	Kansas
Louisiana----------	168	8.5	3.6	7.9	7.9	73.9	42.4	20.5	67.3	Louisiana
Maine----------	141	10.0	3.4	10.8	1.4	66.9	44.5	22.8	49.3	Maine
Massachusetts---------	213	11.5	3.0	15.8	3.4	75.9	46.8	22.8	64.0	Massachusetts
Michigan----------	225	10.8	3.1	14.0	3.8	62.0	43.2	25.5	61.8	Michigan
Minnesota----------	359	10.9	2.6	13.6	5.3	44.7	34.0	12.5	63.8	Minnesota
Mississippi----------	531	7.0	3.4	26.1	5.9	43.2	46.9	31.7	68.5	Mississippi
Missouri----------	295	9.2	3.0	15.4	5.5	28.2	32.7	23.9	48.4	Missouri
Montana----------	87	10.6	3.3	28.9	2.4	48.2	56.6	36.5	67.6	Montana
Nebraska----------	158	11.2	3.1	22.5	4.6	54.3	52.1	35.4	71.8	Nebraska
Nevada----------	62	10.3	2.6	15.3	3.4	76.3	36.2	20.3	44.8	Nevada
New Hampshire---------	50	10.0	3.2	12.2	6.1	75.5	38.0	33.3	93.9	New Hampshire
New Jersey----------	408	9.9	3.0	11.5	6.6	69.9	41.5	18.9	65.7	New Jersey
New Mexico----------	51	8.2	2.3	2.0	3.9	45.1	34.0	7.8	67.4	New Mexico
New York----------	863	9.7	2.4	9.1	3.2	69.9	24.7	16.9	41.7	New York
North Carolina-------	830	7.7	3.4	26.5	3.3	37.4	48.7	31.7	62.8	North Carolina
Ohio----------	364	9.9	3.1	8.3	4.4	78.2	27.9	17.5	67.9	Ohio
Oregon----------	65	10.0	3.0	7.8	6.3	60.9	55.6	25.8	67.2	Oregon
Pennsylvania----------	830	9.6	3.0	7.4	1.0	86.5	55.2	9.4	68.2	Pennsylvania
Rhode Island----------	92	10.1	2.7	8.0	--	63.1	24.4	9.5	44.7	Rhode Island
South Carolina*-------	144	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	South Carolina
South Dakota----------	85	10.6	3.1	14.0	--	73.7	71.9	10.9	83.0	South Dakota
Tennessee*----------	413	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	Tennessee
Texas----------	2,404	7.3	3.7	22.4	2.2	56.8	66.4	25.2	75.0	Texas
Vermont----------	19	9.6	2.5	5.0	10.0	60.0	30.0	16.7	78.9	Vermont
Virginia----------	505	7.6	2.8	14.0	2.1	66.0	36.7	24.3	46.4	Virginia
Washington----------	116	10.8	3.3	13.4	6.3	64.3	54.1	21.1	74.3	Washington

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Table 21C.--Selected characteristics of persons rehabilitated, by agencies for the blind, Fiscal Year 1971

(Percentages are based on total number of clients reporting specific items in each agency as shown on computer tabulations of Case Service Report, Form RSA-300)

Agency for the blind	Total rehabilitations[a/] (1)	Average weekly earnings[b/] At referral (2)	Average weekly earnings[b/] At closure (3)	Public assistance recipients: At referral (4)	Public assistance recipients: At closure (5)	Annual rate of support ($000): At referral (6)	Annual rate of support ($000): At closure (7)	Length of time on public assistance rolls[c/]: Less than 1 year (8)	Length of time on public assistance rolls[c/]: 3 or more years (9)	Agency for the blind
Total	10,194	$13.38	$43.23	22.1	19.6	$2,364	$2,304	30.2	44.7	Total
Arizona	50	10.65	71.16	*	14.3	13	9	*	*	Arizona
Arkansas	256	11.59	34.77	24.5	25.8	66	70	23.6	56.4	Arkansas
Connecticut	91	7.22	69.95	13.6	12.2	17	17	25.0	25.0	Connecticut
Delaware	32	6.69	58.59	35.5	25.8	15	9	72.7	27.3	Delaware
Idaho	25	39.34	84.61	21.1	18.2	6	4	*	*	Idaho
Indiana	52	10.89	66.46	*	22.0	11	8	*	*	Indiana
Iowa	108	22.33	66.94	21.3	25.0	43	44	30.0	40.0	Iowa
Kansas	102	19.84	55.85	16.9	13.5	18	19	63.6	18.2	Kansas
Louisiana	168	11.28	44.40	41.1	37.5	93	69	38.2	41.2	Louisiana
Maine	141	*	40.62	*	20.9	43	36	*	*	Maine
Massachusetts	213	30.59	65.43	38.1	32.5	115	134	37.5	29.2	Massachusetts
Michigan	225	19.35	53.30	20.4	18.0	53	48	38.7	22.6	Michigan
Minnesota	359	11.18	33.97	16.5	20.0	27	58	*	30.4	Minnesota
Mississippi	531	14.52	36.56	21.9	23.7	72	93	18.4	54.1	Mississippi
Missouri	295	12.53	31.18	35.2	37.2	108	121	24.4	59.8	Missouri
Montana	87	24.76	64.46	*	15.9	21	15	*	*	Montana
Nebraska	158	28.56	66.70	8.2	8.7	16	18	18.2	54.5	Nebraska
Nevada	62	20.90	48.55	20.0	15.3	13	12	80.0	10.0	Nevada
New Hampshire	50	31.74	51.88	20.8	22.0	11	15	30.0	50.0	New Hampshire
New Jersey	408	15.89	48.58	17.5	16.4	107	103	24.1	46.3	New Jersey
New Mexico	51	4.92	39.89	*	21.6	9	8	*	*	New Mexico
New York	863	11.91	32.53	22.7	17.3	227	202	19.6	47.1	New York
North Carolina	830	13.97	35.27	19.0	17.9	170	169	18.1	60.0	North Carolina
Ohio	364	11.62	43.57	24.3	22.1	98	89	*	32.2	Ohio
Oregon	65	17.13	72.30	32.7	11.9	11	5	*	*	Oregon
Pennsylvania	830	6.87	47.37	41.8	34.6	494	389	27.4	48.4	Pennsylvania
Rhode Island	92	9.98	26.45	29.4	23.0	27	22	29.2	45.8	Rhode Island
South Carolina*	144	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	South Carolina
South Dakota	85	8.09	75.66	--	5.3	4	3	*	*	South Dakota
Tennessee*	413	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	Tennessee
Texas	2,404	13.01	43.85	12.2	12.5	268	325	33.7	38.8	Texas
Vermont	19	6.11	47.67	22.2	20.0	9	11	--	66.7	Vermont
Virginia	505	13.32	29.75	18.9	12.4	64	64	*	32.4	Virginia
Washington	116	14.25	65.08	17.9	15.3	48	45	50.0	36.4	Washington

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Table 11D.--Selected characteristics of persons rehabilitated, by agencies for the blind, Fiscal Year 1971

(Percentages are based on total number of clients reporting specific items in each agency as shown on computer tabulations of Case Service Report, Form RSA-300)

Agency for the blind	Total rehabilitations[1] (1)	Primary source of support[2] Public institutions (2)	SSDI status at closure: Applicants (3)	SSDI status at closure: Beneficiaries (4)	Mean number of months in: Referred statuses (5)	Mean number of months in: Active caseload (6)	Previously rehabilitated[3] (7)	Agency for the blind
Total	10,194	0.5	20.6	16.7	4.4	15.8	6.8	Total
Arizona	50	--	16.3	14.3	7.3	20.5	4.1	Arizona
Arkansas	256	--	23.8	19.5	4.0	18.0	9.0	Arkansas
Connecticut	91	1.1	25.6	22.2	5.8	25.1	10.2	Connecticut
Delaware	32	9.7	37.5	34.4	2.0	12.2	18.5	Delaware
Idaho	25	--	26.1	21.7	6.0	26.9	4.3	Idaho
Indiana	52	--	32.5	27.5	8.6	22.8	--	Indiana
Iowa	108	--	29.6	25.0	4.9	23.2	14.0	Iowa
Kansas	102	--	33.3	26.0	5.0	16.3	16.8	Kansas
Louisiana	168	--	27.4	20.8	6.6	15.8	9.6	Louisiana
Maine	141	--	25.7	21.4	3.7	22.9	3.9	Maine
Massachusetts	213	--	17.7	16.3	3.9	20.4	4.5	Massachusetts
Michigan	225	1.5	26.6	25.7	6.8	15.9	10.8	Michigan
Minnesota	359	--	32.7	24.4	6.1	*	8.5	Minnesota
Mississippi	531	--	14.5	10.4	3.3	13.5	5.3	Mississippi
Missouri	295	--	24.4	19.6	4.7	16.1	6.7	Missouri
Montana	87	1.3	28.8	25.0	3.3	16.1	*	Montana
Nebraska	158	0.7	17.0	16.3	3.5	19.4	11.7	Nebraska
Nevada	62	--	24.1	22.4	4.8	13.6	5.1	Nevada
New Hampshire	50	4.1	28.0	22.0	6.9	27.3	8.2	New Hampshire
New Jersey	408	--	29.3	27.1	6.1	15.9	6.9	New Jersey
New Mexico	51	--	34.8	34.8	3.4	13.0	11.8	New Mexico
New York	863	0.7	36.4	32.3	5.9	20.0	8.8	New York
North Carolina	830	0.2	16.4	11.5	1.6	21.2	5.0	North Carolina
Ohio	364	1.1	27.9	25.4	7.9	16.4	8.0	Ohio
Oregon	65	--	19.7	18.2	5.8	22.8	9.2	Oregon
Pennsylvania	830	0.9	16.8	13.1	8.4	14.2	7.3	Pennsylvania
Rhode Island	92	--	40.0	36.5	4.4	25.5	8.0	Rhode Island
South Carolina*	144	--	--	--	--	--	--	South Carolina
South Dakota	85	--	19.2	7.7	10.0	25.4	--	South Dakota
Tennessee*	413	--	--	--	--	--	--	Tennessee
Texas	2,404	0.6	11.2	7.4	2.4	11.4	4.2	Texas
Vermont	19	5.3	45.0	30.0	6.5	20.4	5.1	Vermont
Virginia	505	0.4	20.5	18.4	3.7	11.8	7.2	Virginia
Washington	116	--	32.1	25.0	4.7	21.4	8.3	Washington

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Table 21E.--Selected characteristics of persons rehabilitated, by agencies for the blind, Fiscal Year 1971

(Percentages are based on total number of clients reporting specific items in each agency as shown on computer tabulations of Case Service Report, Form RSA-300)

Agency for the blind	Total rehabilitations[a/] (1)	Occupation at closure			Case services			Agency for the blind
		Professional, technical and managerial (2)	Homemakers (3)	Unskilled (4)	Percent receiving[b/] Restoration (physical and mental) (5)	Training (6)	Average cost[h/] (7)	
Total----------	10,194	15.8	33.4	10.4	65.5	47.0	$1,107	Total
Arizona----------	50	23.9	32.6	8.1	75.5	69.4	1,670	Arizona
Arkansas----------	256	14.5	45.3	5.1	*	*	1,316	Arkansas
Connecticut----------	91	32.6	17.4	11.6	23.1	63.7	2,141	Connecticut
Delaware----------	32	46.2	15.4	7.7	40.6	68.8	1,532	Delaware
Idaho----------	25	88.9	5.6	--	26.1	96.0	2,019	Idaho
Indiana----------	52	58.1	29.0	--	26.8	68.3	1,750	Indiana
Iowa----------	108	50.6	30.3	4.5	20.4	71.3	2,600	Iowa
Kansas----------	102	32.9	31.6	10.5	43.8	69.8	1,008	Kansas
Louisiana----------	168	16.2	29.9	10.2	51.4	69.3	965	Louisiana
Maine----------	141	30.2	52.8	1.9	83.7	49.6	1,366	Maine
Massachusetts--------	213	37.0	41.8	2.2	22.7	83.3	2,850	Massachusetts
Michigan----------	225	17.6	30.2	12.7	19.9	88.3	1,291	Michigan
Minnesota----------	359	8.4	48.1	7.8	*	*	963	Minnesota
Mississippi----------	531	29.5	28.4	7.6	85.1	22.1	929	Mississippi
Missouri----------	295	22.8	59.3	4.1	68.2	55.8	723	Missouri
Montana----------	87	20.3	27.8	6.3	*	*	720	Montana
Nebraska----------	158	32.3	32.0	7.0	47.4	71.7	1,206	Nebraska
Nevada----------	62	17.6	56.9	--	81.4	84.7	1,028	Nevada
New Hampshire--------	50	34.9	9.3	--	30.0	80.0	879	New Hampshire
New Jersey----------	408	15.2	34.7	12.2	41.0	54.0	1,595	New Jersey
New Mexico----------	51	16.0	34.0	4.0	47.1	52.9	1,754	New Mexico
New York----------	863	13.4	52.3	3.6	24.2	65.8	2,045	New York
North Carolina------	830	6.0	33.1	17.7	89.1	24.1	1,291	North Carolina
Ohio----------	364	16.2	27.4	19.0	*	*	1,123	Ohio
Oregon----------	65	56.6	20.8	3.8	44.8	37.3	1,215	Oregon
Pennsylvania--------	830	12.8	25.2	11.9	56.9	43.2	873	Pennsylvania
Rhode Island---------	92	21.7	59.4	1.4	31.0	90.8	1,363	Rhode Island
South Carolina*-----	144	--	--	--	--	--	--	South Carolina
South Dakota--------	85	64.6	20.8	2.1	51.7	69.0	1,819	South Dakota
Tennessee*----------	413	--	--	--	--	--	--	Tennessee
Texas----------	2,404	7.4	24.1	13.6	85.4	22.4	591	Texas
Vermont----------	19	20.0	25.0	--	50.0	55.0	2,653	Vermont
Virginia----------	505	21.2	59.6	0.6	60.3	58.5	809	Virginia
Washington----------	116	30.5	22.9	10.5	45.5	72.3	1,597	Washington

a/ From the Monthly Report of Cases Closed, Rehabilitated, Form RSA-100. Totals may differ from those appearing on tabulations of Case Service Report, Form RSA-300.
b/ Percentages may total less than 100 percent because not all major disabling conditions are shown.
c/ Monthly family income at referral.
d/ Based on all persons reporting earnings status including those with no earnings.
e/ At referral.
f/ Within three years of most recent referral.
g/ With and without cost to State agencies.
h/ Cost per person receiving case services paid for by the State agency. The cost of administration, guidance, counseling and placement is excluded.
*- Data incomplete or defective.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

EXPLANATION OF TERMS

1. Points of reference in the rehabilitation process:

   a. At referral--the date when an individual is officially placed in the referral load of a State vocational rehabilitation agency after applying or being referred for services. Before an individual is considered a referral, the following information must have been furnished: (1) name and address, (2) disability, (3) age and sex, (4) date of referral, and (5) source of referral.

   b. At acceptance--the date when an individual is officially placed in a State agency's active caseload after it has been determined that (1) a physical or mental disability is present; (2) a substantial handicap to employment exists; and (3) vocational rehabilitation services may reasonably be expected to render the individual fit to engage in a gainful occupation.

   c. At closure (rehabilitation)--the date of completion of the vocational rehabilitation process when an individual has (1) received appropriate diagnostic and related services; (2) had a plan for vocational rehabilitation services formulated; (3) completed the plan insofar as possible; (4) been provided counseling as an essential rehabilitation service; and (5) been determined to be suitably employed for a minimum of 30 days.

   d. In extended evaluation--the period of time which is used to provide services needed to determine the rehabilitation potential of an individual. If a client's disability is mental retardation; deafness; blindness; paraplegia, quadriplegia, and other spinal cord injuries or diseases; heart disease; cancer; stroke; epilepsy; mental illness; cerebral palsy; brain damage; arthritis; muscular dystrophy; cystic fibrosis; or renal failure he may be placed into 18-month extended evaluation. Clients with any other disability may be placed only in 6-month extended evaluation. While in extended evaluation, an individual may not receive services other than those required to assess his rehabilitation possibilities.

2. Age--recorded as of last birthday before referral for vocational rehabilitation services.

3. Case services--any goods or services necessary to render a handicapped individual fit to engage in a gainful occupation. The various types of services are as follows:

   a. Diagnostic and evaluation--medical, psychological, social, and vocational diagnostic and evaluation services authorized for determining eligibility or ascertaining the nature and scope of rehabilitation services needed.

   b. Restoration--medical and medically related services which are necessary to correct or substantially modify a physical or mental condition.

c. Training--all training and training materials provided individual clients.

The various types of training are as follows:

(1) College or university--all academic training on a level higher than a secondary education.

(2) Other academic--academic training on a secondary education level or lower, as well as in specialized schools such as schools for the deaf or for the blind.

(3) Business school or college--non-degree training in a business school offering courses in office skills.

(4) Vocational school--training in a vocational, trade, or other technical school to prepare the client for an industrial occupation.

(5) On-the-job--training in a program whereby the client usually works for wages while learning the skills of a job.

(6) Personal and vocational adjustment--training which will help the client to adjust to a particular situation hindering his rehabilitation potential such as work conditioning; developing work tolerance; training in the use of artificial limbs, aids, or appliances; literacy training; lip reading; braille; etc.

(7) Miscellaneous--training which cannot be classified in any of the above categories.

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d. Maintenance--any service provided to cover basic living expenses so that the individual can derive the full benefit of other vocational rehabilitation services provided.

e. Other services--services such as reader and interpreter services, occupational tools and equipment, initial stocks, licenses, and transportation. Also includes medical care for acute conditions which may arise during rehabilitation and constitute a hazard to the determination of rehabilitation potential or to the achievement of the vocational objective.

f. Services to other family members--services provided to the family members of the handicapped individual for the purpose of contributing substantially to the rehabilitation of the handicapped individual.

4. Dependents--recorded at time of referral. Persons for whom the referred individual, as recognized head of the household (usually, but not necessarily, the father or mother), has major responsibility for providing the basic essentials of daily living such as food, clothing, shelter, and education. The client's ability to meet this responsibility is not taken into consideration in recording this item.

5. Earnings--<u>cash</u> earnings of the client in the week prior to referral and prior to closure including total wages, salaries, tips and commissions received as regular income <u>before</u> payroll deductions (income tax--State and Federal, social security, union dues, etc.).

Earnings also include profits from self-employment in a business or profession. Profits of farmers are not estimated.

6. Family--recorded at time of referral for vocational rehabilitation services. Those persons living in the same household who are related to one another by blood, marriage, or adoption. Friends and other lodgers are excluded. A client living alone or in an unrelated household is considered a family of "one".

7. Family income--recorded for the month preceding the date of referral. Includes family's (a) cash earnings from wage or salaried positions before payroll deductions; (b) cash income receipts from own business, farm, or profession, after deduction of operating expenses; (c) payments from public sources such as public assistance, unemployment insurance, workmen's compensation, veteran's benefits, social security, and pensions; and (d) other income such as pensions and annuities from private sources, net rental income, dividends, interest, etc.

8. Major disabling condition--the defect, impairment, or disease most significantly responsible for the client's work limitation.

9. Occupation--the type of job or occupation in which the client was employed at the time his case was closed. With some exceptions (e.g. homemakers) the RSA occupational coding structure is based on the Dictionary of Occupational Titles, third edition, published in 1965 by the U.S. Department of Labor.

10. Primary cause of major disabling condition--the disease, injury, or congenital condition which was the direct cause of the major disabling condition.

11. Public assistance--money payments made to the client or his dependents (except for nursing home care) under the Federally-aided programs of Old-Age Assistance (OAA), Aid to the Blind (AB), Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled (APTD), Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC), and State and/or locally financed General Assistance (GA).

12. Race--White, Negro, Indian, and other. This item is not reported by States or agencies where recording this information is contrary to law, regulation, or policy.

13. Social Security Disability Insurance benefits --monthly checks paid to (a) disabled workers under 65 and their families; (b) persons disabled in childhood (before 18) who continue to be disabled as adults and whose mother or father receive social security retirement or disability benefits or whose insured parent is dead; (c) disabled widows, disabled dependent widowers, and (under certain circumstances) disabled surviving divorced wives of workers who were insured at death.

14. Social Security Disability Insurance status--recorded at the time of case closure. The SSDI categories are as follows:

a. Non-SSDI applicants--clients known definitely not to be applicants for SSDI benefits at the time of case closure.

b. SSDI applicants--individuals who have applied for SSDI benefits.

c. Applicants, allowed benefits--clients who are receiving SSDI benefits.

d. Applicants, denied benefits--individuals who have received notice by the time of case closure that their applications have been denied.

e. Applicants, status of application pending --clients whose status had not been adjudicated at the time of case closure.

f. Applicants, benefits discontinued or terminated--former beneficiaries whose benefits have either been discontinued or terminated and who have not reapplied by the time of case closure.

15. Source of referral--the institution, organization, agency or individual that submitted the client's name to the State vocational rehabilitation agency.

16. Special education--encompasses all clients, with mental retardation as a major or secondary disabling condition.

17. Spanish surname--based entirely on surname, even when it is known that a person with a Spanish surname is not of Latin American ancestry.

18. Work status--the client's work activity during the week prior to referral and prior to closure. The following are the work status categories:

a. Wage or salaried worker--an individual who did any work at all for a private employer or for government (Federal, State, or local) for wages, salary, commission, tips, or piece rates.

(1) Competitive labor market--work for wages, salary, commissions, etc., as defined above, but does not include work in sheltered workshops. Includes wage earners on farms but not sharecroppers or self-employed farmers.

(2) Sheltered workshop--work for wages or salary as defined above in a workshop conducted by a nonprofit organization which provides work under special conditions for the physically or mentally handicapped.

b. Self-employed--work for profit or fees in one's own business, farm, shop, or office. Includes State agency-managed business enterprises (BEP) which are vending stands and other small businesses for the severely disabled under the management and supervision of a State agency.

c. Homemaker--a person (male or female) whose principal activity is keeping house for his (or her) family.

d. Unpaid family worker--a person who works without pay on a family farm or in a family business operated by one or more members of his own family.

e. Student--a person who is attending school and cannot be classified in one of the working categories.

f. Trainee or worker (non-competitive labor market)--a person who, although he may have received stipends for work or services performed, was functioning essentially in a non-competitive environment. Mainly a person participating in work experience, work training, or work adjustment programs such as

those sponsored by the Office of Economic Opportunity, the Department of Labor, and the Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

g. Other--a person not in the categories above. Examples include (1) persons unable to get jobs; (2) persons not able to perform their homemaking duties; (3) persons confined in institutions, including places providing specialized medical care, homes for the aged, prisons and jails; and (4) persons receiving only pay "in-kind" (meals, lodging, etc.).